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No. 50 FOR JIM

By LAURIE SCHWAB

Socceroo captain Jimmy Rooney will play his 50th full international match in Australia's clash with England at the Sydney Sports Ground on Saturday night.

And after celebrating Australian soccer's centenary, Rooney should go on to overtake Peter Wilson and become our most capped international.

Rooney will play three games for the green and golds against Northern Ireland in June and three against Chile in August, bringing his total to 56. After the Socceroos' world tour in November-December, Rooney should pass Wilson's total of 62 caps during the World Cup qualifying series next year.

Rooney turns 34 in December.

"I feel terrific just now. I love the game and I can't see myself not making it through the World Cup. I've set myself one big target — Spain, 1982." Rooney said this week during training for the game against England.

Rooney thrives on challenges. During his 12½ years in Australian soccer he always has marched towards new horizons. Winning the Argus Medal while with Lions as Victoria's best player on 1969 started the hunger that still gnaws away inside him.

AUSTRALIA

Greg Woodhouse
Martin Crook
Yakka Banovic
Steve Perry
Paul Degney
John Yzendoorn
Ivo Prskalo
Jim Muir
Tony Henderson
John Coyne
Arno Bertogna
Jim Tansey
George Christopoulos
Alan Davidson
Jim Campbell
Murray Barnes
Theo Selemdidis
Jimmy Rooney
Peter Sharne
John Nyskohus
Gary Cole
Phil O'Connor
Mark Jankovics
Eddie Krncevic
Ken Boden
Sebastian Giampaolo
Zdravko Lujio
Tommy Cumming (injured)

ENGLAND

Joe Corrigan
Phil Parkes
Trevor Cherry
Brian Greenhoff
Russell Osman
Terry Butcher
Frank Lampard
Glen Hoddle
Bryan Hobson
Kevin Reeves
David Armstrong
Paul Mariner
Peter Ward
Brian Talbot
Alan Devonshire
Alan Sunderland

SCG scene of that 17-0 loss

• *Jack Sewell: 35 goals*

The Sydney Cricket Ground gives England an advantage against Australia in their Centenary match on Saturday night (7.30 pm).

Australia's green and gold colours were stomped into the Cricket Ground mud the last time the nations collided there.

June 30, 1951, was the date.

The scoreboard at 4.45 pm that day showed:

AUSTRALIA 0 ENGLAND 17.

Jack Sewell of Sheffield Wednesday, scored six in that mammoth victory, Ike Clarke of Portsmouth got four, Jim Hagan (Sheffield United) and Frank Broome (Notts County) got three each and Gordon Hurst (Charlton Athletic) made do with only one.

The other members of the touring English squad were:

Goalkeepers: E. Burgin (Sheffield Utd), S. Bartram (Charlton);

Full backs: H. Bamford (Bristol Rovers), J. McCue (Stoke), F. Lock (Charlton).

Half backs: D. Parker (West Ham), R. Flewin (Portsmouth), S. Owen (Luton), J. Shaw (Sheffield Utd), L. Kieran (Tranmere Rovers).

Forwards: H. Webster (Bolton), W. Smith (Birmingham), R. Langton (Bolton).

It was an FA representative team rather than the full England squad, but it was ranked at the time as a full international Test match. However, it no longer appears in the ASF's list of full internationals. Neither do any of the Tests on that tour.

The tourists played 20 games on their gruelling 10-week tour and won all 20 of them. Goalscorers were: Sewell 35, Hagan 28, Clarke 23, Broome 16, Smith 13, Hurst 12, Langton 12, Webster 9, Bamford 3, Owen 2, Parker 2, Shaw, Kieran.

England won the other Tests against Australia 4-1, 4-1, 6-1 and 5-0.

The unfortunate Australian team that was thrashed 17-0 was: N. Conquest (NSW); R. Parkes (NSW), C. Drummond (NSW); R. Lawrie (Q), T. Jack (Vic), J. Duff (NSW); E. Kemp (NSW), E. Hulme (NSW), R. Date (NSW), M. Wild (Q), R. MacKenzie (Vic).

There have been three other tours by English representative teams — In 1925, 37 and 71.

The 1925 tourists beat Australia 4-1 in Melbourne, 5-1 in Brisbane, 2-1 in Sydney, 8-2 in Maitland, 5-0 in Sydney and 2-0 in Melbourne.

In 1937, the English amateurs lost their Test series, going down 4-5 in Sydney and 3-4 in Newcastle, and winning 4-0 in Brisbane. The visitors also played an Australian Eleven in Melbourne, winning 4-3.

In 1971 the touring English FA side beat Australia 1-0 in Sydney and 1-0 in Melbourne.

The tourists included Peter Wall (Crystal Palace), Alan Stephenson (West Ham), Peter Grummitt (Sheffield Wednesday), Peter Hindley (Notts Forest), Keith Eddy (Watford); Norman Piper (Portsmouth), Mick Mills (Ipswich), Chris Chilton (Hull) and Ken Wagstaff (Hull) who later became player-coach of Victorian State League club George Cross.

Australia's line-ups in the two 1971 matches were:

In Sydney: Reilly — Keith, Wilson, Watkiss, Curran — Rooney, Richards, Baartz — Blue, Alston, Abonyi (Norman).

In Melbourne: Reilly — Keith, Wilson, Watkiss, Curran — Rooney, Richards, Baartz — Blue (Tolson), Alston, Abonyi.

— *LAURIE SCHWAB*

National coach of the future?

Socceroo captain Jim Rooney

He reached for bigger things in moving to Sydney in 1970 to join Prague. Sydney was the soccer capital then. Not so now.

Before leaving, he had been given his first taste of representative football in the Victorian State team, coached by Rale Rasic. That was the start of a lasting partnership.

Although Rooney's motto is to look forward, not back, he does agree to give us his "Best Eleven" of Australian players. It is, in 4-3-3 formation:

Jack Reilly, Doug Utjesenovic, John Yzendoorn, George Kinnell, Jim Tansey, Roberto Vieri, Gary Byrne, Jimmy Mackay, Attila Abonyi, Ray Baartz, Terry Butler.

All except Kinnell and Vieri played for Australia. Kinnell, former captain of Sunderland, starred with Juventus (Vic) Western Suburbs (NSW) and Marconi.

Rooney came into the national squad for the series against the visiting English FA team in 1971, to replace captain Jimmy Rooney who was injured.

"There had not been a soccer player who made an impact in Australia the way Warren had. His absence left a big hole to be filled. I was aware of that," Rooney remembers.

Rooney believes Warren retired prematurely, as did Jimmy Mackay and Ray Baartz.

Comparing himself with his contemporaries, does Rooney concede to having any weaknesses as a player? A pause.....

"Speed, yes I've got that... A powerful shot with either foot... Tremendous header of a ball... Too big for the other players...

"No, I've got no weaknesses."

Rooney hopes that the glamor surrounding Saturday's Australia v. England match will bring home to all soccer federations the need to make youngster more aware of the top level of soccer, to make them aim at reaching the Philips League, if not the national team itself.

"At the moment, kids are playing matches at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, whereas they should be coming along to PSL with their fathers," he says.

"You won't see young Aussie Rules players having matches on Saturday. The games are played early, so the kids can go and see their VFL heroes play afterwards.

"That's one way to help the kids identify with the game's personalities and to help build a star system."

The Australia v. New York Cosmos match which drew 50,000 to the Showgrounds last year did a lot towards establishing Eddie Krncevic, Ken Boden and Tommy Cumming as Socceroo stars. The England game, to be televised throughout Australia, will continue that process.

It's just another game for Rooney, though. Spain's his aim.

But what then?

APIA and St. George made bids for him at the start of this year, but Rooney's hardly likely to switch clubs again as a player.

His future is in coaching, he says. A PSL club? "Yes, you have to start somewhere." What does that imply — the national team perhaps?

"Sure, why not?"

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Youth team in curtain-raiser

An Australian B selection taken from the overall squad will play against the national youth team in the curtain-raiser at the Sydney Cricket Ground at 5 pm.

The youth squad is: GOALKEEPERS: Glen Ahern (Q), Denis Ivanov (WA); DEFENDERS: Robert Wheatley, David Watt (NSW), Mike Lynch (WA), Craig McLatchey (Q), Steve Balir (Vic); MIDFIELDERS: Peter Raskopoulos, Grant Lee, Paul Kay, Jim Patikas, Dave Skeen (NSW), Vlatko Belic, Oscar Crino (Vic); FORWARDS: Ian Hunter, Denis Colusso (NSW), Calvin Daunt (Q), David Mitchell (SA).

CENTURIONS

With the Australia v England centenary match only a couple of days away, "Soccer Action" profiles the men who are preparing for the battle.

Last week we had the goalkeepers and defenders, this week we give you the midfielders and forwards.

So, when you watch the struggle at the Sydney Cricket Ground on 31 May, you'll know exactly who's who.

The full England international team will be preparing for the finals of the European Nations Championship to be played in Rome next month.

Nevertheless, manager Ron Greenwood has assembled a powerful 16 and the game will be recognised by both countries as a full international.

KEN BODEN (Sydney City): When you try to pick Australia's finest football player, Ken Boden is always well up the list. He was named Australian Player of the Year in 1978, the year he was also joint top scorer in the PSL. He was with Newcastle KB United then, and it took a $30,000 deal to move him to Sydney City for the start of the 1980 season. From 1965 to 1977 he scored an average 15 goals a season for various clubs in England, including Doncaster Rovers, Hull City, Scunthorpe, Bridlington and Matlock Town. Played his first game for Australia in the 1-3 loss to Wisle Crakow in early 1979 and was on the China tour. Appearances: 8; internationals: 1; goals: 3. Boden is pictured at left playing for Sydney City against South Melbourne. In the centre is Souths full back Vince Bannon, a former Socceroo under 23 representative, and at right, Alan Davidson, who is in the national squad against England.

EDDIE KRNCEVIC (Marconi) No Australian player has made a more rapid rise to national fame than Krncevic, who was the subject of a recent three-page feature in the influential "National Times." Best man on the field in the 2-2 draw with Czechoslovakia early this year and scorer of five goals, a Socceroo record, against the Taipei City Bank team during the China tour late last year. Krncevic was on the Australian Schoolboys' tour of North America in 1978, shortly after he had recovered from a broken leg. He switched from Essendon Croatia to Marconi for $9000 for the start of the 1979 PSL season and was Marconi's second-highest scorer that year. But Krncevic incurred the wrath of Rudi Gutendorf after being sent off in a league match for the second time this year and was dropped from the national team's game against AC Milan. Has played 16 games for Australia (9 internationals) and scored 15 goals.

● PAUL MARINER (Ipswich Town) aged 25: The club's most expensive player, costing 220,000 pounds when he was bought from lowly Plymouth Argyle in October 1976. The Bolton-born striker made 135 appearances with Plymouth before transferring to Ipswich where he notched up 98 appearances, 34 goals before the start of last season. Made his England debut against Luxembourg in 1977 and has five full caps to his credit. Won an F.A. Cup winners medal in the 1977-78 season. Mariner is pictured, second from left, scoring against Wolves.

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BRYAN ROBSON (West Bromwich Albion) aged 23: One of the most sought-after players in England, Robson is tipped to be the next million pound transfer buy. Manchester United is interested in getting him. Hails from Chester-le-Street, a County Durham mining town in an area renowned for producing great players. Midfielder. 5 ft 9 ins and 11 st 1 lb. He is pictured talking to coach Ron Greenwood.

RON GREENWOOD (England coach): Born Burnley, Lancashire. His family moved to London when he was a boy and he eventually joined Chelsea as a wing-half. Returning from war-time service with the RAF, Bradford Park Avenue paid 3,000 pounds — then a record for the club — for his transfer in December, 1945. Returned to London when Brentford signed him in March, 1949, and it was with this club that he really made his reputation as a strong centre-half intelligent footballer, and an ideal captain.

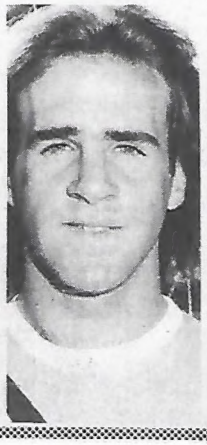
In all he made over 300 Football League appearances.

He was appointed assistant manager at Arsenal in November, 1958 and took over as manager of West Ham United in April, 1961 — only the fourth manager in the club's history.

Under Greenwood's direction the club had its fans cheerfully singing the West Ham theme tune 'I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles' in Britain and Europe, with success in the European Cup.

He was appointed temporary England team manager for the home friendly international match against Switzerland in September, 1977, and the World Cup qualifying matches against Luxembourg and Italy. He was offered the position of permanent manager to prepare the England team and the supporting teams for the next two years after the Italy match. Under Greenwood England has lost only three games in as many years.

JIM CAMPBELL (Heidelberg Utd): Has been the foremost midfielder in the Philips League in recent weeks. His coach and team mate Jimmy Rooney goes so far as to describe Campbell as the best midfielder in Australia. Joined Heidelberg in early 1977 after having played for Bedford Town in England. Although he plays midfield, he is among the top dozen PSL goalscorers on average since the league started. Has tremendous work-rate, a shrewd football brain, lots of skill, a penchant for one-twos and a nose for goal. Called into the national team for the first time for the series against Czechoslovakia this year. Appearances: 3; internationals: 2.



MARK JANKOVICS (Marconi) has recently returned to his finest form with brilliant performances for Australia against AC Milan and for Marconi against league leader Heidelberg. In both games, he scored vital goals. Top scorer in the PSL with 18 goals last season, Jankovics had a form lapse during the Socceroos' tour of China, which carried over into the early part of the PSL seasons. But he's staking a strong claim now to a permanent place in the national team, knowing he has stiff competition from Krncevic and Cole. Was second highest scorer in St. George's 1975 championship win and transferred to Marconi in early 1978 for $7500. Made his international debut against New Zealand under Brian Green in Auckland in 1976. Appearances: 15; internationals: 3; goals: 2.

TOMMY CUMMING (Essendon Croatia): The only State League player in the national squad, Cumming won the Rothmans Medal last year as Victoria's No. 1 player. One of the smallest men in top soccer, but also one of the hardest fighters and one of the most dangerous near goal. Came from the Scottish junior leagues to join Sunshine City in the Victorian State League in early 1976 and transferred to Croatia in 1978. Caught the eye of Rudi Gutendorf while playing for Victoria. He has represented his State 13 times. Gutendorf used Cumming for the first time in the 1-1 draw with Partizan Belgrade in Newcastle early last year. He has played 12 games for the Socceroos (4 internationals) and scored two goals. He is pictured in Victoria's 2-3 loss to the New York Cosmos last year, opposed by Santiago Formoso (left) and Nelsi Morais.

OF THE SCG

• *PETER WARD (Brighton): A prolific scorer with Brighton, scoring 62 goals in 125 matches before the start of last season. Set a club scoring record in 1976-77 with 32 goals in Division 3. Regarded as one of England's bright hopes of the future. No England caps to his credit and is making his overseas tour with the national squad.*

GARY COLE (Heidelberg United), Australia's deadliest striker of 1980, with 15 goals in the first 11 PSL matches. Cole has played 14 games for Australia, including four full internationals, and he has scored six goals, two of them penalties. His latest was in the 2-1 victory against AC Milan last week. Cole, the top PSL scorer on aggregate, recently became the first to score 50 goals in PSL and Philips Cup matches. He joined Heidelberg United from State League club Ringwood Wilhelmina in 1975 and has scored five goals in his 13 games for Victoria. He is pictured barging past Nick Lowe of Mooroolbark.

DAVID ARMSTRONG (Middlesbrough) aged 25; a specialist left-sided midfield player with more than 300 first team appearances with 'Boro. He made his debut as a teenager and helped the club into the first division under the astute managerialship of Jack Charlton. Holder of four under 23 caps before fading from the representative arena until Ron Greenwood was appointed England team manager. Armstrong looked set to be a players' player, highly respected by his fellow professionals, but destined never to get proper recognition. This all changed for Armstrong when he was selected for an England side which played Sunderland as part of the club's centenary celebrations. He is pictured with arms raised, after scoring for 'Boro.

GLENN HODDLE (Tottenham Hotspurs) aged 22; has been a Spurs fan since he went to White Hart Lane at 11 to attend a coaching clinic. He signed with the club as an apprentice straight from school and made his first team debut against Bulgaria last season and scored one of the two goals. England team manager, Ron Greenwood, described Hoddle as 'A player with excellent ball control and a player of the future'. Without doubt, the Spurs midfield star will be one of the top attractions in the match at the SCG.

PHIL O'CONNOR (APIA-Leichhardt): Transferred to APIA from St. George for $9000 for the start of this season, after having scored 29 league and Cup goals for the Saints in the PSL. Came to Australia in 1975 from Luton Town to join Wollongong City where he scored 12 goals before Saints bought him for $9000 in early 1977. Made his Socceroo debut against Hong Kong in 1976. Appearances: 12; Internationals: 5; goals: 1.

ALAN DEVONSHIRE (West Ham United) aged 24; It was his break down the left side of the pitch that led to West Ham's winning goal against Arsenal in this year's F.A. Cup final win. Playing with his first league club, Alan has been the success story of the year. No previous international caps but won his first England B cap recently. Only 23, Alan's performance with the Hammers got him the 'nod' to join the English touring party 'Down Under'. England manager Ron Greenwood described Alan as one of the outstanding players to emerge during the season. Pictured at right, with David Pace of Arsenal in the Cup final.

KEVIN REEVES (Manchester City) aged 22; Manchester City striker who switched from Norwich City during the just completed season for 2 million pounds ($4 million). As a youngster growing up in Hampshire, Kevin dreamt of wearing the famous red and white stripes of Southhampton. Reeves is on his second visit to Australia after coming here last year with Norwich City under manager John Bond. He began his football career with Bournemouth before hitting the 'big time' with the Canaries in the first division before switching to Manchester City.

GEORGE CHRISTOPOULOS (South Melbourne): Started his representative football with the Australian schoolboys on their tour of North America under coach Bobby McLachlan in 1978 and progressed to the national youth team under Gutendorf. Played his first senior game for Australia as a substitute in 1-2 loss to Greece in 1978. Joined South Melbourne Hellas from Victorian Metropolitan League club Coburg in late 1977 and is now a key player there. Gutendorf is grooming him eventually to take over the sweeper's position from Ivo Prskalo. He is pictured at left in an aerial duel with Murray Barnes of Sydney City. Appearances: 7; Internationals: 6.

PETER SHARNE (Marconi), Speedy winger who made his Socceroo debut in the 1977 "World of Soccer" tournament against Arsenal (3-1) and Red Star (2-3), and also appeared as a substitute in the World Cup qualifying series that year. Was chosen along with club mate Paul Degney for the 1978 series against Greece but both were dropped again after they had played for Marconi when they should have been resting for Australia's game. Sharne fractured his spine in 1975 and was an invalid for six months, so his progress since then has been nothing short of remarkable. Total appearances: 19; internationals: 10; goals: 5.

MURRAY BARNES (Sydney City): Represented Australia at under 23 level in Indonesia in 1974 and made his senior debut against China in Melbourne in August, 1975, along with Todd Clarke, Agenor Muniz, Gary Byrne, Duncan Cummings and Rene Colusso who now plays in Italy. Barnes' first full international was against the USSR under coach Brian Green in Adelaide in November, 1975. Although a midfielder, Barnes is one of the highest PSL scorers, on aggregate. He is tall, strong, fearless and works hard. Gutendorf recalled him recently for a defensive midfield role, or possibly as a stopper. Appearances: 31; internationals: 17; goals: 7. Barnes is pictured at right, in action against George Christopoulos.

BRIAN TALBOT (Arsenal) aged 25; this former Ipswich town player created football history by playing in three consecutive F.A. Cup finals. But unfortunately for Brian and his Gunner teammates, West Ham proved too good in the third final and ran out 1-0 winner. Brian has five full caps and one under 21 cap to his credit and has collected two winning F.A. Cup medals with Ipswich and Arsenal. Signed by Arsenal for a reputed $900,000 two seasons ago.

JOHN NYSKOHUS (Adelaide City): John and his brother Bugsy are two of the all-time greats of South Australian soccer. John played for Australia at under 23 level in 1974 and made his senior international debut under Brian Green in the 1975 series against the USSR. Was Australia's best player against Greece in Melbourne in 1978 and was best on the ground in South Australia's memorable 1-1 draw with Wisla Crakow of Poland in 1979. On the Socceroos' China tour he put on an excellent midfield performance against the Canton Army team after replacing Jimmy Rooney. Appearances: 43; Internationals: 21; goals: 4.

ALAN SUNDERLAND (Arsenal) aged 25, selected in the England squad for the first time this year. At club level he forms a two-prong 'strike force' with Frank Stapleton. A former midfield player with Wolves, Alan has one under 21 and one under 23 cap. Has played in three F.A. Cup finals and scored a last-minute winner at Wembley last May against Manchester United. He joined the Gunners from Wolves in November, 1977 for $400,000.

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MUIR TO PLAY, KRNCEVIC OUT?

National coach Rudi Gutendorf said this week he would use Marconi stopper Jim Muir against England on Saturday, and probably leave out striker Eddie Krncevic.

"Eddie is in poor form at the moment. He has personal problems," Gutendorf said.

"Muir did an excellent job in our 2-1 win against AC Milan, so he deserves to stay in the team."

Gutendorf said he had been assured by the ASF that Muir would be able to gain citizenship in time for the World Cup series.

From substitute to Socceroo — that's the story of Muir's remarkable return to prominence over the past few weeks. He was on the bench at Adelaide City but as soon as Marconi bought him, he found himself in the Heidelberg-Marconi composite team that took the field against Milan under the banner of an Australian Eleven.

Murray Barnes returns to the Socceroos in this match, after a year's absence, and Tony Henderson is back after having recovered from injury.

The most striking aspect about Gutendorf's selection is height. Greg Woodhouse, Muir, Henderson, Barnes, Mark Jankovics, Gary Cole and Jim Tansey are all over 6 ft.

Henderson and Barnes will add to Cole's forcefulness in attack and also stiffen the defence when England goes forward.

Rooney, Jankovics and Boden will provide the more intricate close play and Tansey and Perry will, as usual, be reliable avenues of attack down the flanks.

We can only guess at the composition of the England team.

Paul Mariner and Peter Ward appear to be the logical twin strikers, although Alan Sunderland also has strong claims. Coach Ron Greenwood will want at least one man coming wide, so he may use Middlesbrough's David Armstrong as a deep-lying winger.

Kevin Reeves played striker along with Justin Fashanu in the Norwich City team that toured last year, but he may be pulled back deeper, keeping Brian Talbot out of the opening line-up.

Naturally Greenwood will want to use the players with a possible future in the senior England team. Ward, Reeves, and Glen Hoddle are such players.

THEO SELEMIDIS (Heidelberg Utd): Played in Rudi Gutendorf's Australian youth team and in the full international matches of the Oceania Cup tournament, which Australia won in Noumea this year. Included in the squad for the England game after he had played some dazzling soccer as a substitute in the 2-1 victory over AC Milan in Sydney. Selemidis joined Heidelberg from South Melbourne Hellas juniors in early 1977 and now partners Jim Campbell and Jimmy Rooney in Heidelberg's extraordinary midfield. Appearances: 3; internationals: 2.

ZDRAVKO LUJIC (Footscray JUST): His application for permanent residence was approved recently and he is now under strong consideration by Rudi Gutendorf, who may use him in the curtain-raiser between Australia B and the national youth team. Lujic played for Novi Sad in Yugoslavia before coming to Australia in early 1978. He played left back last year but he is one of the finest wingers in the country.

SEBASTIAN GIAMPAOLO (Canberra City), was an outstanding player with Inter Monaro in the NSW State League but did not gain national prominance until he and Inter-Monaro team mate Walter Valeri were transferred to PSL club Canberra City for a total of $40,000 at the start of the 1980 season. Gutendorf included him in the national squad after Giampaolo had put on some brilliant displays for Canberra.

JOHN COYNE (Brisbane City): Currently transfer-listed by his club at $16,000 after arguments with the hierarchy there. Gutendorf included Coyne in the national squad after seeing him play well in a PSL match, and has described him as a possible Nobby Stiles of the Socceroos. Played in England and had a trial with the New York Cosmos on one of Cosmos world tours before coming to Australia. Appearances: 8; internationals: 3.

Rudi Gutendorf, citizen of the world. Above: in the jungles of Peru, with a monkey on his back. Below: On the Great Wall of China.

RUDI GUTENDORF (Australia): Has established a sound foundation for the future by promoting young players Woodhouse, Christopoulos, Bertogna, Davidson, and Giampaolo to the national squad. Became national coach in 1978, the latest step in a colorful career during which he coached Schalke, Duisburg, Tennis Borussia, Hamburger SV, FC Lucerne, NSV, St. Louis Stars, Valladolla (Spain), Sporting Crystal (Peru), and the Chilean national team. Gutendorf gives every player a direct opponent — and that includes his forwards, who have to chase opposing defenders when those defenders attack. He demands a high work rate and he puts a heavy emphasis on attack via the full bcks. He also encourages attacking runs by his central defenders whenever possible. However, he also is realistic enough to concede that you can only play as offensively as the occasion allows — and against England his players will be busy indeed with their defensive duties.

LIKELY TEAMS

AUSTRALIA

Greg WOODHOUSE

Steve PERRY, Ivo PRSKALO, Jim MUIR, Jim TANSEY

Tony HENDERSON, Murray BARNES, Jimmy ROONEY

Mark JANKOVICS, Gary COLE, Ken BODEN

ENGLAND

Phil PARKES

Trevor CHERRY, Brian GREENHOFF, Russell OSMAN, Frank LAMPARD

Glen HODDLE, Bryan ROBSON, Kevin REEVES, David ARMSTRONG

Paul MARINER, Peter WARD

Games and scorers

Appearances in full international matches:
62. Wilson.
58. Abonyi.
49. Rooney, Schaefer, Baartz.
43. Warren.
39. Alston.
34. Utjesenovic.
32. Richards.
31. Mackay, Vojtek.
40. Ollerton.

INTERNATIONAL GOALS:
25. Abonyi.
18. Baartz.
13. Ollerton.
8. Vojtek, McColl.
7. Alston, Buljevic.
6. Krncevic, Kosmina, Warren.

Total appearances:
115. Wilson.
95. Rooney
88. Abonyi.
72. Schaefer.
62. Warren.
61. Utjesenovic, Alston.
60. Richards.
59. Baartz.
55. Ollerton, Bennett.

TOTAL GOALS:
36. Abonyi.
21. Baartz.
20. Ollerton.
17. Alston.
15. Krncevic.
13. Vojtek.
12. Kosmina.
11. Buljevic.
10. Richards, Harding.

RUDI GUTENDORF SAYS....

We're out to win!

I expect that the match between England and Australia will be a really competitive fight.

I can promise the public that the Australian team is not treating this as a friendly match. We are determined to win.

We are fortunate that at this stage of the Philips League competition our players are at the peak of their physical condition.

Now, as an additional prematch preparation, the entire team is in a training camp for a full week before the game.

It is our intention to play offensive and aggressive soccer against the England side, as we did so successfully against Cosmos, Norwich City and in our third game against the European champions, Czechoslavakia.

We will not play defensive tactics!

This match will, without doubt, be the most significant game of their lives for each and every member of the Australian team.

I myself have never been responsible for such an extraordinarily important game, and I consider it an honour for me to play my team against the England side.

Obviously I am hopeful that my best players in the squad are fit and not injured in prematch fixtures, and in particular I hope that one of my most significant players, Tony Hendrson, will be completely fit for this game.

I am sure that the Australian public would not expect our part-time players to be as fit or play better soccer than a full professional England side.

However, I can promise that the spectators will see the one thing which has become the trademark of the Australian team, and that is the outstanding courage and fighting spirit they show when they play in the green and gold colours.

He'll fly there free

"Soccer Action" congratulates Martin Scicluna of 1 Lichfield Ave., Jacana, Victoria, for winning TAA's Name The Mystery Players competition.

Martin is the lucky winner of reserve seat tickets with airfares and acommodation to witness the soccer clash of the year between Australia and England at the Sydney Cricket Ground on Saturday.

Martin correctly identified the two mystery players as Jim Tansey and Yakka Banovic.

Martin can collect his prize by contacting Rob Aldred at TAA on 341 3136.

"Soccer Action" thanks TAA and all contestants.

Soccer feast on TV

The Australian soccer public will be treated to a feast of top international football on ABC TV in the coming weeks.

The ABC has secured the rights to the European Cup final and the British home international series.

The telecast times and dates are as follows:

Friday 30 May at 9.15 pm England v Argentina; repeat Saturday at 12.25.

Friday 6 June at 9.15 pm Hamburg v Nottingham Forest; repeat Saturday at 1 pm.

Friday 13 June at 9.15 pm Wales v England; repeat Saturday at 1 pm.

Friday 20 June at 9.15 pm Scotland v England; repeat Saturday at 1 pm.

Hamburg to farewell Keegan with a win

From KYLE PATTERSON

England international Kevin Keegan bids farewell to German football after he represents Hamburg in the final of the European Cup against Nottingham Forest of England tonight (Wednesday).

The likely line-ups for the Hamburg-Nottingham Forest clash:
HAMBURG: Rudi Kargus - Manfred Kaltz, Peter Nogly, Dietmar Jakobs, Peter Hidien - Jimmy Hartwig, Kevin Keegan, Felix Magath, Holger Hieronymus - Horst Hrubesch, Willi Reimann.
Other squad members: Ivan Buljan, Casper Memering, Juergen Milewski. Manager: Guenther Netzer.
NOTTINGHAM FOREST: Peter Shilton - Viv Anderson, Kan Burns, Larry Lloyd, Frank Gray - John McGovern, Martin O'Neill, Ian Bowyer, John Robertson - Gary Birtles, Stan Bowles.
Other squad members: David Needham, John O'Hara, Gary Mills. Manager: Brian Clough.

The scenic Bernabeu Stadium in Madrid is the setting for the battle from which will emerge Europe's premier team for 1980.

Keegan is the key to Hamburg's fortunes against Brian Clough's tightly organised Forest unit.

With England international Trevor Francis unable to play, former Queens Park Rangers' unpredictable striker Stan Bowles is likely to play alongside brilliant Forest youngster Gary Birtles.

Clough has many options open and he may prefer the outstanding defensive midfield qualities of Ian Bowyer to the spasmodic talents of Bowles.

If Bowles plays he will work as a target man for Birtles, with Scottish international Jockey Robertson working up and down the left side of the field.

Forest captain John McGovern will assume his usual role of laying off the Forest defence, building play from deep and providing support for his back four.

The disastrous appearance of Larry Lloyd in an English shirt against Wales should not deter Clough from placing the experienced defender at the heart of the Forest back four.

Lloyd is slow and limited on the ground and he must rely heavily upon good cover from former Scottish international Ken Burns.

Burns and Lloyd together look uncertain against the precise interpassing style of West German Bundesliga sides like Hamburg.

The Germans will look to Keegan's powerful running to pressure the Forest defence and open up space in midfield from which to push forward quickly, not allowing Forest to delay and organise.

Clough is unlikely to use a man-to-man marking system as he prefers a "close them down as they come" defensive pattern.

Keegan will be assisted in midfield by Felix Magath who is adventurous and a regular scorer.

Hamburg's defence boasts West German international Manfred Kaltz whose varied talents are best seen in the fullbac or sweeper roles.

Kaltz frequently joins Hamburg attacks and provides another striking avenue for his team.

Up front Hamburg may rely upon the combination of the giant Horst Hrubesch feeding Willi Reimann, a brilliant finisher.

Hrubesch's strength is in the air, which should suit Lloyd and Burns but Reimann will be harder to hold.

Hamburg should win, for Forest does not look half as dangerous without the Birtles-Francis partnership.

The current Bundesliga champion team should farewell Keegan, the current European Footballer of the year, with a European Cup Winners medal to top off his impressive list of credits gleaned during his two year stay in German football.

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Rooney's half-century

When Rooney played there, Prague was no longer the force it had been in the days of Les Scheinflug, Leo Baumgartner, Herbert Ninaus and Peter Hrncir. Rooney enjoyed having Raul Blanco as his midfield colleague but Prague could not satisfy his hunger for success, so he moved on to APIA in 1972.

The five seasons he spent at APIA have been his most enjoyable in football. Willie Wallace, Terry Butler, Peter Ollerton, Stan Ackerley and George Keith were among his team mates, and with Rooney at his most energetic and creative, APIA won two championships, a grand final and an Ampol Cup.

The year of his move to APIA was also the year of one of his best matches for Australia — the 2-2 draw with Pele's Santos at the Sydney Sports Ground. Rooney doesn't score often, so he remembers his goal in this one as one of his most satisfying. Another important goal was in Australia's 2-1 victory over Beckenbauer's New York Cosmos at the Sydney Showgrounds late last year.

During those heady days at APIA, Rooney buzzed in an Australian midfield that powered the Socceroos into the World cup finals, and that opposed Wolfgang Overath, Uli Hoeness, Carlos Reinoso, Guillermo Paez, Hans-Juergen Kreische and Reinhard Lauck in Group One of the last 16 in West Germany.

But still the hunger remained. More challenges lay ahead — the biggest of them being the Philips League, scheduled to start in 1977. Rooney was appalled when APIA refused to join the league, so he made the difficult decision to leave the club he loved.

It was predictable that he should switch to Marconi, for his friend Rasic was coaching there. The old partnership just failed on goal average to win the inaugural PSL championship, but Rooney had a personal triumph in being named the first Australian Player of the Year by the press.

During his nine years in Sydney, part of Rooney's heart remained in Melbourne, the place where it had all started for the young migrant who had become sick of "getting kicked all over the place for five pounds a week in the Scottish Second Division."

From Page One

Gary Byrne: Should be in national team

Rale Rasic: He made it all happen.

Finally, in late 1976, he came home to accept a contract with Heidelberg United. The immediate result was a place in the top four for United.

When coach Manny Poulakakis left after the 1980 Ampol Cup series, the Heidelberg committee made the experimental move of appointing Rooney and centre-back Pat Bannon as joint player-coaches.

They share the training work but on the park, Rooney bows to the leadership of Bannon. The result: Heidelberg is on top of the Philips League ladder.

"And we'll win the championship," he says again, as he has been saying since this summer.

Victorian State League club Lions, which later became Essendon Croatia in a takeover, recruited Rooney after he had moved to Scottish Second Division club Montrose from English club Peterborough. Rooney in turn persuaded four mates, John Gardiner, Jimmy Smart, Jim Smith and Eddie Reid, to come with him to Australia.

Comparing those times with today, Rooney says that players are much more professional now in their attitude to the game, although his own attitude always has been the same.

"In those days players went to training to have a game rather than be coached," he says. "And the training itself was hard running, without the ball.

"Today, the good coaches do most of their training with the ball. Rale Rasic was the first I saw doing that, although we still had to do the necessary physical work as well."

In Rooney's opinion, Rasic was the man who started the upsurge of Australian soccer at representative level.

"Under Rasic everyone knew what they had to do on the park. We played to a system in which we all had a job to do. Before that representative teams were put together hurriedly and without much thought about a match plan."

Many people still maintain that the 1969 team which failed by one goal to qualify for the World Cup finals was the most talented Australia has had. To that, Rooney says: "You can have as much talent as you like, but without organisation, you still fail."

"Rale organised us. We made fewer mistakes at the back, and we brought the ball forward constructively through the midfield and the forward."

But they criticised Rasic for being too defensive, didn't they? "He had to start somewhere," is Rooney's retort. "We tried to break as often as we could and when we did break, we did so with six or seven players — except in the finals, which was understandable."

Rasic has been Rooney's advisor. "He's always helped me. I've learnt on him throughout my career," says the player of the coach.

That's the cue to talk about other coaches under whom Rooney has played, Jimmy Shoulder for example, the man who has been blamed for Australia's failure in the 1977 World Cup qualifying series.

"Shoulder didn't get much help," says Rooney. "The politics were maybe a bit too much for him. However, at coaching he was brilliant.

"His tactics were right, but many of the players didn't adapt themselves well enough. Some of them did not have the right attitude.

"Maybe we were a bit overconfident against the Asians after we'd beaten Arsenal in the World of Soccer tournament that year."

They say "Smiling Jim" Shoulder lacked the forcefulness and the ruthlessness to make the players produce their best, but Rooney doesn't agree. "I know they said he was soft, but he was different when he closed the dressing room door. He could tell us off as well as anyone. I don't blame him for our failure."

And Rudi Gutendorf?

"He's been around and he knows what it's all about. He has the respect of the players and he's done a good job in getting the best available players together. There are still a few under consideration but once we settle down, we should start playing to an organised system and I'm confident we can get to Spain."

Gary Byrne of Marconi is one player Rooney believes should be included in Australia's first eleven. What about Peter Stone of St. George? "He's got it but he hasn't been producing it," Rooney answers. "You're only as good as your last game."

Back to coaches. How does Rooney rate Victorian supremo Len McKendry, the man being praised as a soccer Messiah by most players who have worked with him?

"I think he's brilliant. His ideas are tremendous, his dedication is unbelievable, his organisation first class. His ideas are well-founded. He teaches in a simple, basic way, and we all believe it. He could do a lot for the game in this country.

"Rudi Gutendorf has said he'll finish after 1982 and as things are, the best thing that could happen is for McKendry to take over at that time. He's young enough, his ideas are young enough. He'd make a lasting contribution."

I didnd't do a thing, says Steve Kokosta (right) as Milan's Giuseppe Galluzzo complains to the referee. Picture by LES SHORROCK.

Crowd reaches a 'new low'

By CRAIG MACKENZIE

AC Milan wiped away the humiliation of its defeat by an Australian X1 in Sydney by crushing Victoria in an incident-packed game at Olympic Park in Melbourne.

VICTORIA 0 AC MILAN 2 (Romano, Galluzzo) at Olympic Park, crowd about 18,000.

VICTORIA: Banovic 8 - Yzendoorn 8 (inj. sub Short 50th), Gardiner 8, Kokoska 8, Tansey 8.5 - Campbell 6 (inj. sub Davidson 80th), Christopoulos 8, Rooney 8, Cumming 7 (inj. sub Williams 65th) - Cole 6, Paton 7.

AC MILAN: Rigamonti 8 - Beruatto 8, Bigon 9, Menichini 8.5, Zenini 8 - DeVecchi 9.5, Capello 8, Carotti 8 (inj. sub Uliviori 65th), Romano 9 (sub Nicolini, half time) - Novellino 8 (sub Antonelli, half time), Galluzzo 9.

Referee: Chris Bambridge 8.

Victorian captain Jim Tansey blasted the local crowd for booing when a stretcher was brought on to carry off Victoria's tiny dynamo Tommy Cumming.

"The crowd reached a new low tonight, ."said Tansey immediately after the match.

"It makes you wonder whether it is worthwhile representing your State or country.

I felt sick and disgusted by the action of the ex-patriate Italians who booed the injured Cumming.

It disgraced the spectators involved who unjustly vented their anger on a player whose skill and heart has helped glamourise and promote soccer throughout this country.

The Cumming incident was part of a trio of fiascos.

The promoters of the match charged eight dollars for children to stand under cover in the outer part of the ground.

And VSF chairman Michael Weinstein was furious at the ASF decision to give Sydney the Sunday game against an Australian XI.

Weinstein's stand was vindicated by the 4,000 extra spectators at the Melbourne match.

The attendance mocked the less glamourous midweek fixture, the cold night and the absence of an Australian X1 to prove the drawing power of soccer in Victoria.

The large crowd was not let down as AC Milan turned on champagne soccer in the first half to lead 2-0 at the break.

In the 30th minute, with Milan 1-0 up after Francesco Romano had blasted home a fierce right-foot drive from 18 yards, the brilliant midfield general Walter DeVecchi drove a blistering drive at Victorian keeper Yakka Banovic.

Banovic parried the shot but Milan's Gabriello Carotti and Giuseppe Galluzzo had followed in to pounce upon the rebound.

As the Victorian defenders stood flat-footed, Carotti volleyed from three yards out but unbelievably Banovic reacted brilliantly and saved.

Galluzzo pounced upon the second rebound and drove the ball home.

As Galluzzo scored Carotti stood three yards from Banovic on the goal line with no Victorian players nearby.

Victoria still gave its all but lacked the purpose of the Italians who looked sharper and went forward faster and more systematically.

Milan sweeper Alberto Bigon was impassable at the heart of the defence and the tight marking of Leonardo Menichini and Manliod Zanini gave Jamie Paton and Gary Cole little room in which to move.

Two sidelights were John Gardiner's two nutmegs in as many seconds in the first half and Milan's hat-trick of cautions courteousy of fouls from Menichini, Galluzzo and substitute Enrico Nicolini.

Jimmy Rooney and George Christopoulos worked their guts out in midfield but with Cole not fully fit and able to charge onto through balls, the Victorian midfield's chances of setting up decisive forward thrusts were limited.

Paton was repeatedly fouled from behind as he charged towards the Victorian in possession and the one chance, a header, that fell his way, was mistimed and bounced easily into the hands of Milan keeper Antonio Rigamonti.

Midlan was content to sit back and soak up Victoria's spurts of pleasure in the second half.

The Italian team, recently demoted to Italy's Second Division, stamped itself as a fine counter-attacking side and can look forward to a speedy return to First Division football.

Victoria played as well as it could, given the class of the opposition. Few of this country's representative sides could have walked off the park with only a 2-0 deficit.

Roma draws

VANCOUVER, British Columbia, Roma of Italy and the Vancouver Whitecaps tied 1-1 in a trans-Atlantic Challenge Cup match here.

Roma led 1-0 at half time on a goal by Guido Ugdotti. Vancouver, the 1979 North American Soccer League champion, tied with a goal by Carl Valentine.

In another cup match, the New York Cosmos beat Manchester City 3-2 in New Jersey.

Stand by your man, Saints

By LAURIE SCHWAB

Spiro Fragopoulos, the longest-serving player and former president of Victorian club St. Albans, faces a financial crisis because of his involvement in the club.

So does another former president, Eddy Neuholt.

They were sued as representatives of St. Albans and personally by former coach Dave McCurry in a breach of contract action.

McCurry won and now Fragopoulos and Neuholt have to pay a total of $7000 in damages and legal cost within 30 days.

I remember Fragopoulos playing for St. Albans at least 16 years ago. He was still playing last year and he's been coach and club president.

Few men in soccer can boast similar dedication and loyalty.

Now it's up to the St. Albans club to stand by Fragopoulos and Neuholt, in the spirit of true sportsmanship.

A barbecue, a few social nights and a couple of exhibition games would help raise the money. How about it, Saints?

Hermiston brilliant in 2-2 draw

By PERCY PARKER

QUEENSLAND 2 (Henderson 53rd, Millman 87th) AC MILAN 2 (Carotti 30th, Antonelli 50th) at Perry Park, Brisbane, crowd 5200.

QUEENSLAND: Scanlan 8 — Perry 7, Bennett 8, Hermiston 9, Niven 8 Lindsay 6 (Ogden 61st), Hogg 9, Thompson 8, Potter 8 — Kelso 6 (Maelaua 61st), Millman 9.

MILAN: Rigamonti 8 — Bigon 8 — Ranieri 8, Menichini 7, Beruatto 9 — Carotti (injured sub Galluzzo 8, 30th), DeVecchi 8, Capello 7, (Nicolini 69th), Romano 8 — Antonelli 9, Novellino 7 (Zanini 7 half time).

Referee: D. Miles 8.

Inspired by the fine leadership and tireless play of Jim Hermiston, Queensland fought back from a two-goal deficit to draw 2-2 with touring AC Milan which had beaten Victoria 2-0 the previous Wednesday.

It was an excellent start for new State coach Ron Smith, who also did well with the Queensland youth team in the Coca-Cola national championships in Canberra.

The result of the match against Milan has given the Queensland players confidence for their clash with Victoria at Perry Park on June 16. Ron Smith, incidentally, is the former State coach of Victoria.

The Queensland defence was excellent against Milan and goalkeeper Scanlan made brilliant saves.

The midfielders, especially Hogg and Thompson, worked tirelessly and up front Ron Millman ran for the whole 90 minutes and eventually was rewarded by getting the equaliser.

Milan went two goals up in breakaways when Queensland attacks broke down.

Queensland's first goal came only three minutes after Milan's second, which quickly opened the game up again.

Hermiston moved up relentlessly in the last 20 minutes in a determined bid to snatch at least a draw. At times he doubled over, trying to get his breath back. It was a memorable performance.

Queensland looked lively in the early minutes but Milan took the lead after half an hour. The ball was played out as a Queensland attack broke down and Carotti burst clear from the half line as defenders appealed to the linesman for offside.

Carotti carried on into the box and goaled via a deflection off Hermiston's leg.

Five minutes after half time a long clearance from the Milan defence landed at the feet of Antonelli who, again, set sail from the half line. Steve Perry came over to stop him but Antonelli got past and left Perry far behind before whacking the ball past Scanlan for the second goal.

When Menichini pulled Millman by the shirt behind play in the 53rd minute, referee Miles awarded Queensland a free kick.

From just outside the box Alan Niven pushed the ball to Hermiston who blasted a 25-metre drive through the wall, into the top corner.

Steve Hogg, who is having a remarkable season, almost scored the goal of the game shortly afterwards when he turned and hit a Hermiston cross on the volley, but it went just over the bar.

Milan looked like holding onto its 2-1 lead but three minutes from the end, after a corner from Niven, Col Bennett headed the ball on, the defence hesitated and Millman burrowed his way through to head home the equaliser.

England wins youth title

England has won the UEFA youth tournament by coming from behind to beat Poland 2-1 in the final.

The tournament served as a qualifying series for the Coca-Cola world youth championships to be held in Australia next year.

The top six from the tournament qualify for a trip to Australia.

Only the sixth remains undecided. Rumania and Portugal tied for sixth place, so they will toss for it during the European Nations Championships in Rome next month.

The other five finalists are: England, Poland, Spain, Holland and Italy.

Poland took the lead against England in the final with a goal by Dzienowski seven minutes before half time.

Paul Allen, one of the heroes of West Ham's FA Cup victory against Arsenal, equalised and England scored the winner 30 seconds from the end when Tottenham's Terry Gibson hurled himself at a Neil Banfield cross to head the ball past goalkeeper Gaszynski.

Italy beat Holland 3-0 in the play-off for third place. Its goals were scored by Pedezoli, Koetting and Galderisi.

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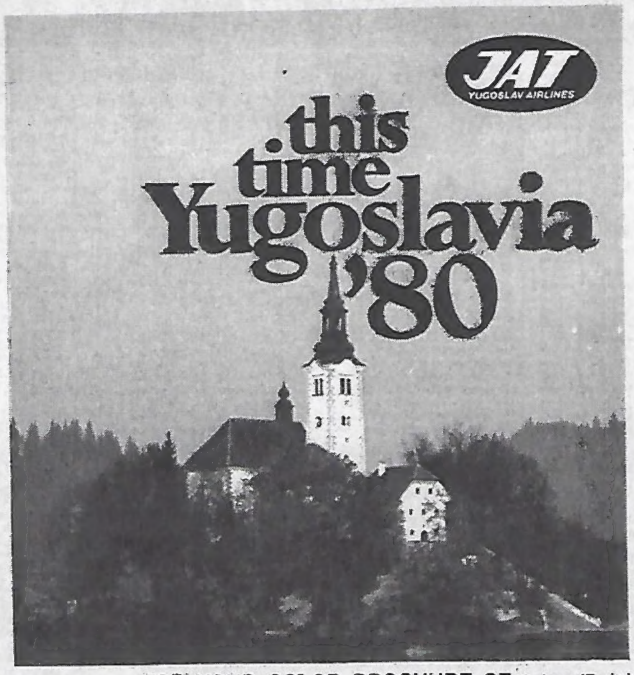

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SOUTH MELBOURNE HELLAS 3 MARCONI FAIRFIELD 1 at Middle Park. Ratings by Laurie Schwabb:

HELLAS: Laumets 8 — Lutton 8 — V. Bannon 8. Xanthopoulos 8, Davidson 9 — Rogers 9, Christopoulos 8, Campbell 0 — Cummings 8, Evans 9, Buljevic 9.

MARCONI: Maher 8 — Prekalo 7 — Muir 5, Russell 7, Degney 6 — Byrne 7, Vieri 5 (Mariani 5 half time), Lindsay 5, Henderson 5 — Jankovics 7, Krncevic 5.

APIA LEICHHARDT 2 CANBERRA CITY 1 at Lambert Park. Ratings by Ted Smithies:

APIA: Woodhouse 8 — Pullen 7, Wilson 7, Dempsey 7, McGinn 6 — Harding 8, McAusland 8, Coyne 7 — Butler 7, Pirie (Drews 6, 34th) O'Connor 8.

CANBERRA: Hoszowski 6 — Moulis 6 (Williams 7, half time), Milovanovic 6 (sent off 67th), R. O'Shea 7, Cole 7 — Byrne 7, J. O'Shea 6, Farrell 7 — Maclaren 6, Valeri 6, Giampaolo 7.

BLACKTOWN 3 FOOTSCRAY 0 at Gabbie Stadium. Ratings by Roger Sherack:

BLACKTOWN CITY: Freeman 8, Harris 7, Pointer 8, Cuk 8, Turnbull 7, Selvage 8, Hormazabal 8, O'Donnell 7, Hunter 8, Wilkinson 7, Izatt 7.

FOOTSCRAY: Boland 7, Hazabent 6, Kondarios 7, Ollerton 5, Petrov 5, Jovanovic 6, Picioane 7 (Simic 55' - 5), Ilioski 7, O'Reilly 6, Vasic 6, Lujic 7.

HEIDELBERG 4 NEWCASTLE 0 at Olympic Park. Ratings by Craig MacKenzie:

HEIDELBERG: Banovic 8 — McMillan 8, Yzendoorn 8, Bannon 8, Tansey 9 — Bozikas 8, Campbell 8, Rooney 9, Selemidis 7 — Cole 8, Paton 9.

NEWCASTLE: Dando 6 — Reaney 7, Drinkwater 6, Bertogna 6, Curran 4 — Heys 5, McClelland 5, Mason 6, Tredinnick 6 — Jones 5, Deakin 5 (sub Cowburn 74th).

SYDNEY CITY 2 ADELAIDE CITY 1 at Marks Field. Ratings by Sid Balmain:

SYDNEY CITY: Clarke (sub Pezzano 10 min 7), Mulen 7 (Souness 75th), Thomson 9, O'Connor 8, Bruce 7, Stevenson 8, Watson 8, Barnes 7, Boden 7, Souness 75th, Spanos 6, Trenter 7.

ADELAIDE CITY Marshall 8, Dodds 7, Jones 9, Russell 7, B. Nyskohus 7, Perin 7, Fashanu 8, John Nyskohus 8, Marocchi 6 (sub Mitchell 85th min), Melta 6, Barnes 7.

WEST ADELAIDE 1 ST GEORGE 0 at Hindmarsh Stadium. Ratings by Steve Fairfax:

WEST: Crook 7, McKie 8, Mericic 7, Topolanski 8, Bozanic 7, Norris 7, Carruthers 8, McGregor 8, Manecas 7, Kosmina 7, Honeyman 7.

ST GEORGE: Fraser 8, Hadley 7, McIntosh 7, Utjesenovic 8, Terry 7, Cotton 7, Gnavi 8, Stone 7, Campbell 8, Duarte 7 (Beggs), Griffiths 7.

Leading ratings:
8.3 Hermiston (BL).
8.2 Cole (H'berg), V. Bannon (SM).
8.1 Bennett (BL), Rooney (H'berg), Barnes (SC).
8.0 Hogg (BL), Milovanovic (Can), J. Campbell (H'berg), Reaney (Newc), Laumets (SM).
7.9 Perry (BC), Tansey (H'berg), Maher (Marc), Watson (SC).
7.8 Pointer (Black), Ontong (BL), McMillan (H'berg), Xanthopoulos, Lutton (SM), S. O'Connor, Boden (SC).

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5. Valeri (Can), Vasic (Foots), Paton (H'berg).
4 O'Connor (APIA), Hunter (Black), Millmen (BL), J. Campbell (H'berg), Sharne (Merc), Kosmina (WA).
3 Samuels, Harding (APIA), Wilkinson (Black), Picioane, Lujic, Ollerton (Foots), G. Campbell, Buljevic, Evans (SM), Smith, Stevenson, Trenter (SC).

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7.4 Bertogna (Newc).

BEST UNDER 21 PLAYER AWARD

A return trip to Surfers Paradise for two by courtesy of Soccer Action in conjunction with T.A.A. will go to the best Under 21 player according to Soccer Action Ratings.

J.U.S.T. MATCH SWITCH

Pressure by the Victorian Football League has resulted in the Footscray JUST versus APIA game being shifted from Western Oval to Olympic Park on Sunday.

Footscray Council on Monday night recommended that JUST Play at Olympic Park although it had reaffirmed the previous week its support for JUST sharing Western Oval with Footscray Football Club.

Council backed down because the VFL threatened to shift Footscray Club's next home game away from Western Oval if JUST played there.

Talks will continue.

Meanwhile Cr Vince Verduci said: "It's deplorable that council can be held to ransom like this.

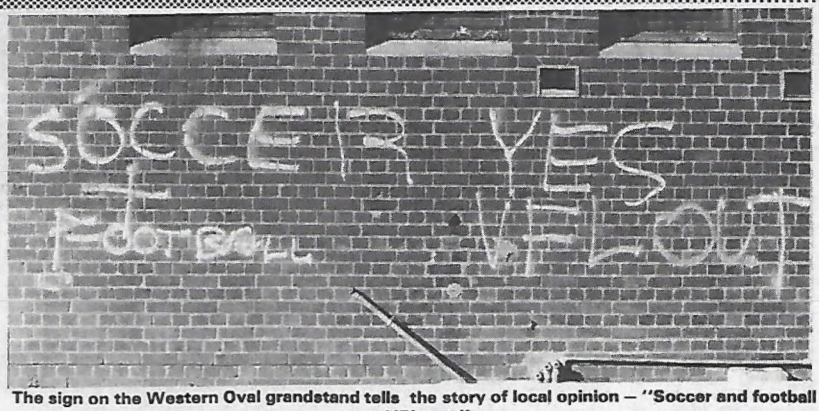
"The VFL does not run this council or this country."

Cr. Matt Harris referred to the VFL as "dictators".

IN ADELAIDE
ADELAIDE CITY v Blacktown City at Olympic Sports Field, Sunday, 2.30 pm. No previous results.

IN MELBOURNE
FOOTSCRAY J.U.S.T. v Leichhardt at Olympic Park, Sunday, 3 pm. Previous results: 1979 - APIA 3-2, J.U.S.T. 5-1.

IN CANBERRA
CANBERRA v Brisbane City at Bruce Stadium, Sunday, 3 pm.



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OUR FEARLESS COLUMNIST TOM ANDERSON IS ABSENT THIS WEEK, BUT HE HAS INVITED HIS EQUALLY FEARLESS COLLEAGUE SID BALMAIN TO STAND IN FOR HIM ....

VFL belongs on Sesame Street

They're paranoid over soccer

When it comes to bigotry, discrimination and just plain stupidity, the directors of the Victorian Football League are way out on their own!

In fact if there were gold medals for ratbaggery, the VFL directors would win the lot.

I have never known such stupidity and childish actions as the one by the VFL over Western Oval.

It reminds me of some kids playing with a ball. Then along came some other kids who posed a threat and the first lot of kids grabbed their ball and ran home to hide behind their mother's apron!

Somebody should give Dr Alan Aylett and his bunch of spoilt children who guise under the names of directors of the VFL, a good kick up the rump.

For without doubt their actions over Western Oval makes some of the happenings on "Play School" or "Sesame Street" look like adult movies.

In the name of heaven, what's wrong with Footscray Soccer Club and Footscray VFL Club sharing the same oval?

Surely for both of them to use Western Oval is progress and will eventually lead to a beautiful major sports complex being built in the area.

I mean to say, the VFL club is agreeable to sharing with their soccer brothers and the Footscray City Council is more than happy over the arrangement.

Also I may add, the Footscray City Council deserve a great deal of praise for its stance against the might (sic) moguls of the VFL.

The council sees the great possibilities in such a move and in this move can envisage big plans for the future.

I also notice the Victoria's Minister for Sport, Brian Dixon, was called into the hassle without much success.

Of course one has to remember that Dixon was a former VFL footballer himself.

I also hope that all the soccer-loving voters in his constituency remember what actions he took in this quarrel when election times comes round!

With a Minister of Sport such as Dixon, I'm glad I live in New South Wales and not Victoria.

But to get back to the VFL hierarchy and its phobia over soccer.

Here are some unsure and obviously paranoid persons who surely must wake up at night having nightmares of soccer infiltrating and eventually taking over from their code.

Not so long ago, they were laughed out of Sydney after a statement by VFL general manager Jack Hamilton which appealed to Rugby League and Australian Rules to combine to drive the demon soccer into the sea!

What a joke. If only they knew that Rugby League and soccer are on good terms in Sydney and live together in peace and prosperity.

If anybody is to be driven out of Sydney, it's the VFL ratbags back to Melbourne.

I think that the VFL directors, Victoria's Minister of Sport, Brian Dixon, and any other persons for that matter, should realise that soccer is not something that can be brushed under the carpet and forgotten about.

It's the only true international game in the world and it's here in Australia to stay.

In fact not only to stay, but to grow and grow and become ultra popular.

This is most probably why the VFL is acting in such a manner over Western Oval.

Heidelberg's maestro Paddy Bannon (left) foils another attack as Newcastle's strikers David Deakin and David Jones look on helplessly. Picture: STEVE CHATZIS

West Adelaide's Manecas prepares to round St George keeper Mike Fraser as (from left) Utjesenovic, Hedley and Carruthers watch intently. Picture: FRANK HOBBS

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Apia shines, City dull

LEICHHARDT 2 CANBERRA CITY 1

Ground: Lambert Park.
Crowd: 2,789.
Referee: P. Rampley, 7.
Goals: Harding 6, 38 (penalty), Giampalo 47.
Yellow Cards: Milovanovic 43, Coyne 45, R. O'Shea 59.
Red Cards: Milovanovic 67.

The game could only be described as a "mixed bay", for it had just about every incident possible in a soccer match, changing from sparkling to mediocre.

For a game in which so much happened, it opened at a very slow pace as both sides tentatively sized each other up.

Leichhardt hit the front in only the 6th minute when Dave Harding netted. The goal was a simple affair and was set up when the ball drifted in from the right wing. It bounced too high for Terry Butler to shoot but Harding was there to chip it home.

The goal encouraged Leichhardt and it turned in one of its best performances this year.

Its game was one of purpose, particularly in the first half where Peter Wilson at the back had a fine game.

Canberra City's first half effort can only be described as mediocre. It was almost as if it wasn't interested and it nearly paid the penalty only minutes after Leichhardt's first goal when Col McAusland blasted a shot over the bar.

Pirie featured strongly for Leichhardt with some astute passing to the flanks and causing City's defence concern. His contribution was unfortunately halted when he was injured in a tackle by Mike Milovanovic and was replaced soon after.

We had to wait over 30 minutes before seeing an effective shot from City.

It came from Walter Valeri after the ball had been cut back to him to find him well in front. Woodhouse was however equal to the task and denied City the goal.

Leichhardt made it 2-0 in the 38th minute with a penalty goal by Harding.

The penalty was awarded after Harding had fed the ball through for Butler but the pass was a little strong and it was a race between Butler and keeper Hozowski.

Referee Rampley considered Hozowski fouled Butler in the ensuing scramble and promptly awarded the penalty.

The decision was strongly contested by Canberra but the 2-0 scoreline at the break was a just reflection of the two teams performances in the first half.

Canberra must have received a good talking to at half time from Vic Fernandez for it came out a much more determined outfit in the second session.

This immediately paid dividends when in the 57th minute Sebastian Giampaolo scored City's only goal.

The goal followed a long throw in from the right wing and a Leichhardt defensive lapse allowed Giampaolo time to gently nudge the ball past the scrambling Greg Woodhouse.

These losses of concentration have often made Leichhardt its own worst enemy this year, but this time to its credit it didn't let it happen again.

Canberra's chances abruptly died in the 67th minute when it was reduced to 10 men with the sending off of Milovanovic.

If ever there was a player who deserved to be marched, he was it. He had repeatedly fouled players and had already been cautioned by Rampley. The red card was for a tackle on Coyne in what was a spectacular effort by probably not as spiteful as earlier challenges.

Leichhardt was quick to take advantage and reasserted its first half dominance.

It was unlucky on a number of occasions, not to go further ahead. Phil O'Connor was particularly effective and literally dazzled City's defence on two occasions before unleashing powerful shots which only just went wide.

The most disappointing player on the field, although not the worst, was Sebastian Giampaolo.

He did not appear to be able to stretch out and rumour tells me that he is carrying an injury. Someone should tell him that he will do himself and his side no good playing under these circumstances and that the longer he leaves it, the

Strikers in turnabout

WEST ADELAIDE 1 ST GEORGE 0

Scorer — Kosmina 41 mins.
Ground: Hindmarsh Stadium.
Crowd: 3,100.
Weather: Fine.
Cautions: McIntosh, Cotton (St George), Manecas, Topaz (West).
Referee: Graham Neal.

If there was one match this season in which West Adelaide could have demonstrated that it is capable of killing off an opponent this was it.

But it didn't turn out that way. The faltering, uncertain West of recent weeks was again evident.

It certainly deserved the two points against a spirited St George team which played like a side facing relegation.

The Saints went in hard for their tackles and used muscle wherever possible.

West's coach Gery Chaldi changed around his team again using Graham Norris in midfield along with IanMcGregor and Eric Carruthers.

Ironically, all three carved out their reputations as strikers. McGregor was the most effective and Carruthers was not far behind him. Indeed, both men were probably the two best on the ground.

Carruthers, who looked on his way out only a few weeks ago, has now strung together three very capable performances which suggest that the loss of Peter Boyle won't be felt in the long run.

West's attack of Kosmina, Honeyman and Manecas had its moments but it still doesn't have that killer look.

Manecas still hasn't recaptured his old magic, although he did have some magical touches.

His striking colleague, John Kosmina, is a far different player to the one who terrorised PSL and international defences in 1977.

If confidence is his problem, then his goal against St George would have done him a lot of good. It was exceptional.

Shraga Topaz floated the ball to the opposite side of the field for Kosmina, on the edge of the area, to thunder a glorious header just underneath the cross bar.

The goal, just four minutes before half time, should have signalled a gold rush against a side which has had scores of 1-5, 1-4, 0-3 and 0-3 at home this season. But the ball didn't bounce for West.

First McGregor slammed a glorious shot against the bar with goalkeeper Mike Fraser well beaten and later he blocked two attempts in a frenzied piece of goalmouth action.

But what of St George?

Coach Raul Blanco could not complain about his team's committment. It battled hard all day and with an ounce of luck could have forced a draw.

Midfielder Rudi Gnavi missed a gilt-edged opportunity in the seventy-third minute when he miskicked poorly after a cross from the left which exposed West's defence.

Certainly St George look better equipped to lift itself to safety than it did a few weeks ago.

New forward Ernie Campbell always looked dangerous and hasn't lost any of the sharpness and aggression which earned him a spot in Rale Rasic's 1974 World Cup team.

Campbell's colleague from his Socceroo days, Doug Utjesenovic still remains a player of great quality.

His raids up the flank were always dangerous and he himself was denied an equaliser in the eighty-first minute after a fine piece of goalkeeping from Martyn Crook. — STEVE FAIRFAX.

Bayern's title

BONN & Hamburg coach Branco Zebec has conceded defeat in the West German football league championship race to Bayern Munich after losing 2-1 away to Bayer Leverkusen.

However, he hoped to have midfield dynamo William Hartwig back for the European Cup final against England's Nottingham Forest.

Bayern Munich beat third-placed VFB Stuttgart 3-1 away to take a two-point lead at the top of the table with one match to play.

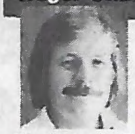
Hamburg needs to win its last match by at least three goals and hope Bayern loses to retain the title.

"We had been concentrating on this match all week, but we didn't put into practice what we planned," said Zebec.

"I congratulate Bayern on winning the title. We don't really have much hope now."

The former Yugoslav international added: "We have now got to beat Nottingham Forest in the European Cup final to retrieve something from this

Roger Sherack



Town takes the treble

BLACKTOWN CITY 3 FOOTSCRAY 0

Referee: Henri Witschge 8
Yellow Cards: Ollerton, Hazabent
Ground: Gabbie Stadium
Crowd: 3568

Blacktown Demons demonstrated its new found spirit by winning its third game in a row after a scintillating second half performance that had the visitors on the brink of catastrophe.

Had Wilkinson scored a couple of goals after being presented with golden opportunities, and had Hunter taken his chance after some good work by Wilkinson on the right flank it would have been a real wipe out.

As it turned out, Blacktown won convincinly enough to suggest that the team has turned a new leaf and will be looking to a more solid position on the league ladder.

In the first half Blacktown defended stoutly against a very skilful and creative Footscray, then unleashed all the power of mobility and shooting of its own in the second half to demoralise the Blues.

It was very difficult to realise that the home side could play so well after a number of mediocre performances during the first ten or so rounds. Then, the club decided to part company with David Harding and bring in Brian O'Donnell. Stuart Selvage, the experienced Marconi midfielder, came on in place of Carlos Ortega, while Cliff Pointer displaced Bruce Stowell in the sweepers role. Another change in defence saw Peter Cuk in place of Don Campbell.

In fact, Mick Jones had used no less then 24 players in the past 12 matches but in the last two games he managed to keep the side intact.

While Pointer and Cuk have created a new found stability at the back, with George Harris and Warren Turnbull, it was Selvage and O'Donnell, the combination that most thought unlikely to cause upsets, that injected mobility into the ranks of Blacktown.

Ian Hunter is playing better each time out, while Paul Wilkinson has started to cause trouble in the opponents penalty box.

Footscray came looking for both points and opened the game with the wind at its back. Despite its great territorial advantage, the visitors managed to create only a single goal scoring opportunity, when in the 32nd minute, Dragon Vasic latched onto a long through ball by Peter Ollerton to race into the box and face Peter Freeman. His shot was weak and straight at the keeper.

Almost immediately Blacktown should have scored. Wilkinson intercepted a pass to round Boland before pushing the ball across the goalmouth to an unmarked Ian Hunter. This speedy youngster hesitated a fraction of a second to allow two Footscray players to block his shot and just divert the ball around the post for a corner.

Three minutes later Chris Petrov decided to pass back to Boland. It was short and Ian Hunter raced in to snatch the ball before the keeper, then race past him before slamming the ball into an empty net.

With 19 minutes gone, Jimmy Izatt took the ball in his own half and raced at least 50 metres unattended before pushing the ball forward for Hunter to score his second goal.

Footscray was beaten and its frustration showed with the bookings of Ollerton, who had a terrible second half and Igor Hazabent. To add insult to injury, Ollerton and O'Reily decided to tackle each other in front of Boland. Ollerton struck the ball and it rebounded off O'Reilly and finished behind the stunned keeper for a third goal!

Close to 4000 spectators were on hand to see some great soccer dished out by the home side in the second half. It moved the ball about in great fashion with Selvage and Hormazabal certainly the key figures during that period.

State game

Springvale will play against the Victorian State under 16's at Ross Reserve, Noble Park, next Tuesday at 7 pm.

On the next two Mondays at 6.30 pm Springvale's under 14's will play against the State under 13's.

Springvale will officially open its clubrooms and flood-

Fashanu shackled

SYDNEY CITY 2 ADELAIDE CITY 1

Ground: Marks Field.
Weather: Fine, Ground: perfect.
Crowd: 2390.
Scorers: John Nyskohus 16th, Mark Trenter 81st, Joe Watson 85th.
Cautions: Glen Dodd 51st, Mark Trenter 55th.
Referee: Tim Davies 8.

Sydney City had better organise a handout of tranquillisers for their supporters if they are going to turn in many more performances like this one!

For the Slickers fans were nearly having heart attacks with their team trailing 1-0 with only 10 minutes left to play.

They lost an early goal to the South Australians when John Nyskohus hit home a penalty kick in the 16th minute, after Murray Barnes had handled in the penalty area.

Then, in the 81st minute, Mark Trenter equalised and four minutes later Joe Watson hit home the winner to give the Slicker fans the tonic they badly needed, after an exasperating 85 minutes of all-action soccer.

This was a fine game, full of thrills, spills and excitement and above all aggressive and positive football.

One could not help but feel a twinge of disappointment for Adelaide City, who came so near, yet so far from taking both points back to South Australia.

They fought hard and applied themselves well away from home, against a tough and well-organised City team.

Adelaide failed in the last five minutes of the game, when they allowed Watson in for the winner.

They had plenty of men back in defence but these were marking space in their penalty area, and not City players.

They paid dearly. When goalkeeper Peter Marshall knocked out a John Spanos shot to the edge of the penalty area, Joe Watson ws there unmarked, to crash the ball home through a ruck of players.

By rights, Watson should have been picked up.

One must give full marks to the Slickers for the character and courage they showed in this game.

Although they were a goal down for most of the time they kept coming forward and never dropped their chins.

They had complete control in the second half and indeed it was only some fine defensive work by stopper David Jones and Peter Marshall that kept them out.

In fact at one stage it looked as if the Jones-Marshall combination was going to pull the game out of the hat for the South Australians.

All eyes were on Adelaide's guest star from England, Justin Fashuna, making his Australian PSL debut for the South Australians.

Fashuna, of Norwich City, showed some fine touches but was given little scope to display his wares by tough-tackling Slickers defender Eddie Thomson.

It would be unfair to criticise Fashanu until he becomes acclimatised and gets to know his new teammates.

However, he'll need to show a bit more effort off the ball, if he's going to succeed here.

Mind you, he'll not be up against such aggressive defenders as Eddie Thomson and Steve O'Connor every week.

Thomson, the Slickers player-coach, led by example and at no time asked his players to do what he was not prepared to do himself.

The three Socceroo squad members, John Nyskohus, Murray Barnes and Ken Boden, came through this game unscathed.

However at times it was obvious that these three talented players had some thoughts on the forthcoming game against the Poms and nobody could blame them!

There was really little between the two teams, although City had the upper hand in midfield.

Joe Watson funnelled back and worked like a beaver and this proved to be the winning aspect in the end.

At the end of the game, Adelaide City coach Rale Rasic was highly critical of referee Tim Davies.

He blamed Davies for giving the Slickers too much latitude.

Slickers coach Eddie Thomson was full of praise for his players and their whole-hearted effort.

As always there was jubilation from the winners' camp and dejection from the losers.

But from the spectators' angle, this was a fine exhibition of football, with Sydney City just deserving their win

Craig Mackenzie

Rooney and Paton tops

HEIDELBERG 4 NEWCASTLE 0

Ground: Olympic Park
Referee: Stuart Mellings 9.
Crowd: 3,727
Scorers: Campbell 30th, Bozikas 44th, Cole 73rd, 75th.
Cautions: Mason 50th (New).

So much for the great Newcastle defence!

The Heidi Birds have been parading their talents for only a few weeks but they showed more co-ordination than the Newcastle back four.

And the girls in the cheer squad are sadly out of time on most occasions.

The Newcastle midfielders could not recover quickly enough to stop Heidelberg's explosive bursts out of the middle.

With Andy Bozikas creating havoc out wide Heidelberg should have knocked in about 10 goals and the visitors should be happy with the score which could have shamed them greatly had even 50% of Heidelberg's chances been taken.

Newcastle created two clear-cut chances throughout the 90 minutes, which is a good measure of Heidelberg's organisation at the back and Newcastle's unwillingness to push a man out from its midfield quartet.

My granny's jelly settles quicker than the Newcastle defence ad from the outset the Gary Cole-Jamie Paton threat was ominous.

Jim Tansey continually overlapped on the left and his high, curling crosses behind Newcastle's static defenders looked sure to find their mark as Cole charged through.

Paton's well-worn path of charging towards his team mate in possession and laying off to Cole or one of his fellow midfielders looked to be the best direction for Heidelberg's attacks and realised its potential for success in the 30th minute.

Paton was on the left of the box and knocked a high, first-time ball to Cole and Bozikas coming in on the right.

Cole left the ball for Bozikas whose drive was parried into the centre of the goal area by Newcastle keeper Phil Dando. The following-in talents of Jim Campbell took over and he knocked the ball home before Dando could recover.

Newcastle could have caused some worry had Graham Heys been able to cross on the three occasions that the Heidelberg defence was stretched.

However Paddy Bannon, John Yzendoorn and Arthur McMillan looked a million dollars as they frequently gained possession under little pressure and started many Heidelberg forward thrusts.

In the 44th minute another brilliant Paton lay-off went to Jim Campbell whose shot hit the bar and fell to Bozikas who made no mistake.

The second half saw the surrender of the remaining fighters in Newcastle's defence and after a string of chances had gone begging up bobbed Cole, the goal machine, to score twice in two minutes.

Paton sent Bozikas through and Dando came charging off his line but the Heidelberg player was always going to get there first and when he did he pushed the ball inside to Cole and number one was chalked up by the big striker.

Number two came after Paton had challenged with Newcastle's Arno Bertogna who tried to pass back to Dando only to see his half-hearted attempt fall to Cole charging towards goal and Dando had no chance.

Heidelberg dominated the match and Jim Rooney was outstanding.

He is a living legend in Australian soccer and age so far has proved no barrier to his ability to compete at the top and come out a winner.

Newcastle coach Alan Vest must get some bite up front and tell his midfielders about the essence of recovery because the Newcastle defence received little support from the middle and had to labour against one of the PSL's most exciting attacking units.

Lampard in

Frank Lampard of West Ham has replaced Alan Kennedy of Liverpool in the England team to visit Australia this week.

Lampard, 29, was left back in the West Ham team that beat Arsenal 1-0 in this year's FA Cup final.

It was Lampard's headed goal that won West Ham its FA Cup semi-final against Everton.

He has played more than

Hellas midfielder Billy Rogers (left) does battle with Bertie Mariani of Marconi. Picture by LES SHORROCK

Laurie Schwab

Glorious past revived

STH MELB HELLAS 3 MARCONI FAIRFIELD 1

Scorers, Hellas : Evans 42nd & 49th., Campbell 60th; Marconi:
Byrne 10th
Ground: Middle Park.
Weather; fine and sunny.
Crowd: About 6000
Referee: Jim Brennan 8.
Cautions: none.

Hellas played its best soccer since those glorious days when it boasted Jim Armstrong, Steve Walker, Peter Bourne, Ian Marshall, John Bedford and Mike Pye at their best.

Agreeing that he might as well grab some glory while it's going, coach John Margaritis pointed out that it was he who coached Hellas in those days, before moving on to West Adelaide and Heidelberg.

It's not easy coaching at Hellas, where you're king when the team wins and criminal when it loses. Margaritis has taken some time getting the Hellas act together, but all the players had their parts perfect on Sunday. Had this performance been in a theatre, the ecstatic crowd would still be demanding curtain calls.

We have come to expect the high standards shown once again by attacking midfielder George Campbell, but Billy Rogers had been in somewhat of a slump, so his display was nothing short of remarkable.

The reorganisation of the forward line is the reason for Hellas's new virility. With Alun Evans back in attack alongside Duncan Cummings after many fruitless weeks in midfield, and Branko Buljevic back on the left flank after having floundered helplessly as centre forward, Hellas has scored eight goals in three games.

Previously, Hellas had scored nine goals in nine games.

Marconi, which has become a big drawcard in Melbourne due to its many exciting performances there, was hardly recognisable.

Coach Les Scheinflug conceded that Hellas had played well, but added: "We let them play."

He blamed his forwards for losing every ball played to them, but to me it was more a case of the forwards being isolated through lack of midfield support.

And the absence of Peter Sharne (injured) deprived Mark Jankovics and Eddie Krncevic of assistance from the flanks and speed in breaks.

Having bought Jim Muir from Adelaide City, Scheinflug has opted for a defensive system in which two stoppers (Muir and John Russell) mark the twin strikers, with sweeper Ivo Prskalo operating behind them.

Muir has replaced the previous right back, Peter Brogan, leaving only Paul Degney providing forward thrusts down one flank. Even these were missing in the first half, during which Degney was assigned to mark midfielder George Campbell, who incidentally, shook off Degney with ease.

Marconi was handicapped not only by the absence of Sharne, but also by Tony Henderson and Roberto Vieri who were tentative and immobile in their return after injury.

With the score 1-1 at half time, Bertie Mariani came on as a third forward, both to help Jankovics and Krncevic and also to curb the overlapping runs of Vince Bannon.

But as Buljevic became more and more dangerous on Hellas' left flank, Mariani was shifted over there to mark him

Suffice to say that nothing worked for Marconi — least of all its marking. Gary Byrne worked hard in midfield without creating much for the forwards, John Russell was the most resolute of the defenders, goalkeeper Allan Maher made some fine saves to prevent Hellas from scoring perhaps two more goals, and Mark Jankovics battled away playing a lone hand in attack.

Unlike Marconi, Hellas had not one ineffective player. Let's talk about the best of them:

BILLY ROGERS: Won probably every ball he went for in midfield. Worked tirelessly all over the field, not only defensively but also in attack, where he laid on many good scoring chances and made excellent runs which should have been exploited by his team mates. Some highlights of his play: a header into the net from Bannon's cross but no score because of a foul; a fine pass between defenders for Campbell to score Hellas' third goal; another good set-up for Evans on the left but the move is offside; a hooked clearance in front of Mariani who is bearing down on goal in a good attack via Krncevic and Jankovics; a cut-back for a shot by Cummings, but it's wide.

GEORGE CAMPBELL: Relishing his role as the free midfielder, hungry for the ball, using his skill to great advantage, setting up team mates with brilliant passes and scoring himself. His highlights: a diving header that goes just wide after a flick-on from Buljevic; a breakaway run on a throw-in from goalkeeper Laumets, capped by a brilliant ball over Russell's head to Cummings who however, is beaten as he tries to cut inside Russell who has recovered quickly; a well-placed free kick to the far post where Evans rises to head home the first Hellas goal; a pass to Evans who heads down to Cummings whose shot on the bounce is held by Maher; a through ball for Buljevic who runs down the left and lobs square over the defence to Evans whose goal puts Hellas into the lead; a fine goal with a low shot after controlling Rogers' pass with one brilliant touch.

The magnificient contribution of Evans and Buljevic should be clear as well by now.

Alan Davidson also had an extraordinary match. Assigned to mark his international team mate Krncevic, Davidson won hands down and also built up play with some excellent passes and irrepressible runs.

However, Krncevic took advantage of a slip-up by Davidson to put Marconi into the lead in the 10th minute. Krncevic's hard shot was only blocked by Peter Laumets and as Laumets was trying desperately to gather in at his second attempt, Gary Byrne stormed in to bundle the ball into the net.

But it was a tenuous lead. During the next 32 minutes, Hellas outplayed Marconi and created chances through Buljevic and Campbell that could easily have resulted in goals.

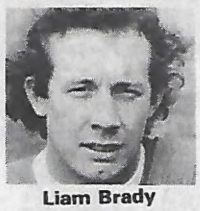
Marconi and Hellas both rest this week. Their scheduled matches on Sunday have been postponed because too many of their players are required for duty on the international bill at the Sydney Cricket Ground on Saturday night.

The following week Marconi meets Blacktown City at Gabbie Stadium and Hellas takes on Brisbane Lions at

KRNCEVIC FOR HELLAS?

Brady blasts bungling Neill

By LAURIE SCHWAB



Liam Brady

Terry Neill

Liam Brady has blasted out an astonishing attack on his boss, Arsenal manager Terry Neill.

In a string of revelations that will rock British soccer, Brady accuses Neill of bungling team matters and disgusting the team with his behaviour.

Brady's main attack on Neill centres around the manager's early days at the club.

Brady claims that Neill struggled badly, made wrong decisions and twice came close to facing a player revolt.

Brady says: "At one stage players were forming a queue outside his office to present transfer requests.

"I was one of those players. I'd had enough.

"Far from improving the atmosphere at Highbury it seemed Neill made it worse.

"In some ways it was not his fault. But we felt he failed to grasp the importance of being straight with his staff."

Brady adds: "His behaviour disgusted and embittered the vast majority of his squad.

Of another attack, in which Neill described his players as "morons" Brady says:

"I think Terry panicked. He was not able to instil in us the confidence that he was armed with the know-how to cope.

In his book, Brady blames Neill for the rows that led to Alan Ball leaving HIghbury, and criticises the way he attacked players in public.

Referring to Neill's famous outburst "We could not have beaten 11 dustbins after that display", Brady says: "The players felt let down, angry and even less trusting than before."

And he says that in the end, Arsenal players "simply lost respect for the man".

Of the 1977 Australian tour when Alan Hudson and Malcolm Macdonald were sent home, Brady says: "Even then he bungled it.

"He could have sent home seven or eight, including me."

Last night Neill said: "I believe in freedom of speech."

The book, So Far So Good, is published by Stanley Paul at $5.95.

• BAYERN MUNICH will start negotiations with Arsenal this week for Brady.

Brady is likely to have a pal with him in Germany . . . fellow Republic of Ireland international Steve Heighway.

Bayern boss Uli Hoeness is interested and should contact Liverpool this week.

From "DAILY STAR"

CIRKOVIC QUITS

South Melbourne Hellas coaching director Cedo Cirkovic resigned last week.

Cedo Cirkovic

His resignation followed talks with Hellas president Sam Papasavas.

Papasavas said there had been dissatisfaction in the club over the form of the Second Division team and over Cirkovic's failure to recruit young players with PSL potential from other clubs.

"But there was no way we wanted Cirkovic to resign," Papasavas said.

Cirkovic, former coach of Footscray J.U.S.T., was appalled at the Hellas attitude.

"I couldn't believe that they expected me to produce or recruit PSL material in the three months since the season started," he said.

"I'm not a magician.

"I was starting from point A, not point X or Y.

"I was keeping my eye on numerous young players from various clubs. One fellow from the Second Division team, Peter Abreham, is just about ready for the senior squad.

"Our under 16s have scored 30 goals to one, our under 15s and under 14s are doing well, and we're working with young players in the Second Division team.

"We may have produced one good player this year. Next year perhaps it would have been two. The following year maybe three or four.

"It takes time, and I was told when I took this job that I would be given time."

• *Eddie Krncevic (right) and Mark Jankovics — partnership soon to be broken?*

Eddie Krncevic wants to come back to Melbourne.

His father, Mario Krncevic, asked South Melbourne Hellas on Sunday night to buy Krncevic from Marconi.

Krncevic broke up with his American wife recently and has been unsettled in Sydney.

His family wants him back home.

Krncevic's form has slumped in recent weeks, yet the Socceroo striker was brilliant on the tour of China and against Czechoslovakia early this year.

He almost joined Hellas in late 1978 and actually signed with Hellas before deciding to accept an offer from Marconi instead.

So Marconi bought him for $9000 from Essendon Croatia, where he had been top scorer although he missed half the 1978 season due to a broken leg.

He scored 13 league goals last year and has knocked in eight so far this season.

Krncevic was named by the Press as Best Under 21 Player of 1979 and set a Socceroo goalscoring record by notching five in Australia's 7-1 victory over the Taipei City Bank in Taipei last November.

Marconi team mate Tony Henderson calls Krncevic the best centre forward in Australia.

Where's Ian Hunter's award, asks Coke

Coca-Cola executive Peter Bent this week called on the promoters of the AC Milan tour to present Blacktown's Ian Hunter with his prize for being voted best player in the recent national youth championships in Canberra.

The award — a free trip to Italy to train with Milan — was to have been presented to Hunter at the Victoria v. Milan game in Melbourne last Wednesday.

It wasn't.

The award — called the Gianni Rivera Award — was announced during the youth championships.

But Coca-Cola had not been told about it, and Mr. Bent expressed anger that another commercial concern should be allowed to jump on Coke's bandwagon.

The ASF, afraid of upsetting one of its biggest sponsors, announced there was no best player award for the championships.

But national coach Rudi Gutendorf went ahead and named Hunter as the best player, adding that if a trip to Milan was being offered as a prize, Hunter was the man who should get it.

"I did not know during the championships that the Rivera award was to be a trip to Italy," Mr. Bent said.

"It's a fantastic opportunity for Ian Hunter, and we're not against him receiving the prize.

"As far as we're concerned, the promoters of the Milan tour have committed themselves. If they don't come up with the tickets it won't be because Coke has blackballed the award.

"I hope they come forward and honour their commitment, otherwise it will have been nothing more than a publicity stunt."

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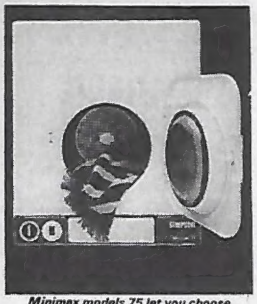

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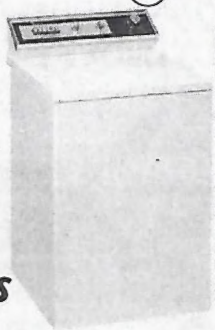

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YOUNG SOCCEROOS

South Australia's David Mitchell in full flight.

LEIF JENSEN

It has now been confirmed that the U/15 national championships will be played in Melbourne at Wembley Park, Box Hill.

This will be a golden opportunity for all you local soccer people to see for yourselves just what these Championships are all about, and may I suggest that anyone who is really interested in the future of Australian Soccer comes along to watch these games.

I will give you the dates and times at a later time.

I can assure you that the soccer at these Championships is very exciting, and it is of course an opportunity to see many future soccer stars in action.

As a "forerunner" to these Championships, and to give you a small sample of what our youngsters can do, I was extremely pleased to see that the curtain-raiser to the AC Milan v Victoria game was given to the U/15 Northern and Peninsula Region boys, and a fine game was produced by these talented players, many of whom we have selected to trial for this year's State team.

It was a great experience for these juniors to play at Olympic-Park as an "opener" to such an important senior game as Milan v Vic. It was a chance which is not often offered to such young players.

I would like to congratulate the J.L.M.C. for having the foresight to select these two groups to play, because they represent a cross section of Club teams in these areas, and indeed a cross section of all Club teams in Victoria.

One really feels that this is what junior soccer is all about; to be able to select a couple of players from each club in an area, and instead of these boys playing against each other, as they normally do during the whole season, they will now play Together as a team . . . one can truly call this Sport.

Space restrictions last week prevented us from publishing the full Australian youth squad for the 1981 Coca-Cola World Youth Championships to be played in Australia next year.

The squad, picked by national coach Rudi Gutendorf after the national youth titles in Canberra last week, is:

Alan Reis (ACT); Robert Traficante, Vlatko Belic, Socrates Nicolaides, Steve Blair, Sean Parton, Oscar Crino, John Little (Victoria); Miro Djackic, P. Forster (Tasmania), Glen Ahern, Craig McLatchey, Calvin Daunt, Clark Anderson (Queensland); Luciano Signore, Ian McKie, David Mitchell, Tony Radford (South Australia); Denis Ivanac, Mike Lynch, Ian Sinclair, Paul Tombidis, Jim Murray (Western Australia); Paul Carter, Dennis Colusso, Ian Hunter, Paul Kay, Mark Koussas, Grant Lee, Jim Patikas, Dave Skeen, Tony Venery, David Watt, Robert Wheatley, Brett Woods, Peter Raskopoulos (NSW); Andy Stankovic, Grant Storey, Howard Tredinnick, Brett Gemmell (Northern NSW).

Hat-trick heroes

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The boys' names will also appear in our list of "Hat-Trick Heroes" published every week.

This week's hat-trick heroes:

Andrew Schul, 9, four goals (Knox); **Zeljko Gagula**, 11 (Ess Croatia); **Roberty Jacebbsen**, 8, four goals, **Geoff Gillard**, 8 (Seaford); **Robert McCance**, 12, four goals (Mooroolbark); **Peter Mellings**, 10, **David Mellings**, 11, **Jim Whitie**, 10, **Irfan Ouman**, 11, **Cihan Pehlivanoglu**, 10, **Askin Pehlivanoglu**, 12 (Beaumaris); **Steve Markou**, 15, **Robert Woodland**, 7, four goals (East Bentleigh); **Chris Arzanas**, 11 (South Melbourne Hellas); **Robert Bagatella**, 13, four goals (Griffiths); **Ricky Monaghan**, 9 (Hastings); **Chris Lymer**, 12 (Peninsula); **Craig Santvoort**, 8, four goals (Baxter); **Ronald Terpstra**, 10 (Mooroolbark); **Laso Markovski**, 11 (Banksia Utd); **Billy Malpantidis**, 10, six goals (Meadow Park); **Paul DeBono**, 11, five goals (Sunshine Heights); **John Kilbane**, 12 (Rosanna); **Kevin Fisher**, 13, David Huggins, 9, five goals, **Andy Galeney**, 9, **Adam Arbon**, 8 (Hampton Park); **Sava James Rusmir**, 10 (Waverley); **Robert Sangiuliano**, 14, four goals (Mt. Warrigal); **Garry Louch**, 9 (Parafield Gardens); **Jason Kristalyn**, 9, four goals, **Adam McConellogo**, 8 (Springvale); **Geoff Gillard**, 8, six goals (Seaford); **Peter Voukidis**, 9 (Nunawading); **Justin Burt**, 9 (Waverley); **Audrey Halton**, 16, four goals (West Woden Juventus); **Craig Fowler**, 8, **Spencer Jones**, 8 (Ferntree Gully); **Paul Bracher**, 9 (Peakhurst Utd); **Anthony Giannilivigni**, 6, **Andrew Blyth**, 8, five goals, **Simon Parrott**, 7, five goals, **Gavin Sambell**, 7, **Aaron Storer**, 11, (Skye Rovers); **Darren Boals**, 11, four goals (Barwon City); **Darren Nelson**, 12, **Tom Phillips**, 12, **Andrew Harris**, 12 (Barwon City); **David Morgan**, 7, seven goals (Ringwood C); **Ezio Mocibob**, 13 (GG-Ajaz), **Jimmy Dres**, 11, **Sebastian D'Agostino**, 11, **Sam Cutrale**, 11, four goals, **Vari Papadopoulos**, 11, six goals (Moonee Ponds); **Steve Avent**, 9, five goals (Chelsea); **Roger Bazzano**, 12, four goals, **Nasar Eminovski**, 12, four goals (Coburg); **Dimitrios Anastassiou**, 14 (Thomastown); **Jeffrey Tulk**, 7 (Knox); **Theo Poulentzas**, 14, five goals, **George Katsakis**, 14 (Heidelberg Utd); **Robert Micklewood**, 12, **Neil Darlington**, 12, four goals, **Paul Fuller**, 12 (Parafield Gardens); **Steve Keenan**, 10 (Chelsea); **Andre Zsembery**, 10, **Guilio Avian**, 9, **Con Dafopoulos**, 10 (Keilor Austria); **Darren Saliba**, 13 (Altona City), **Vince Gioia**, 12, four goals (Nunawading).

NSW, Youth star David Skeen (left) chasing South Australia's Ian McKie (centre) and Eddy Typek.

SKEEN IS KEEN TO TASTE PSL

St. George youngster David Skeen capped off a week of success with the triumphant NSW youth team, winner of the Australian Youth Championships, by being named in the 17-man squad to meet Australia B in the curtain raiser to the Socceroos clash with England at the Sydney Cricket Ground on Saturday.

David started playing for Berkeley Juniors when he was only five years old and stayed with the club until 1976 during which time he represented the Illawarra District in 1970, 71 and 72.

In 1977 David tried his luck with Woollongong in the NSW State League but the club folded and David moved to Dapto as a senior player.

It was there that David struck up a relationship with Casey de Bruin that was to prove an important influence on David's career.

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The benefit of this work was seen by Joe Vlasits who was eager to get David to St. George.

In 1979 the next step in David's aim to play in the PSL took place when he moved to St. George and played in the club's Reserve Grade team.

As yet the talented youngster has not made his PSL debut but if Rudi Gutendorf's thinking is a valid indicator of David's future then the PSL could shortly be enhanced by the talents of this up and coming young player.

David's football background is essentially as a defender, primarily in the right back role, but his creativeness has been utilised in the libero position as well.

David sees many positive aspects of Rudi Gutendorf's involvement with Australian football.

"Rudi Gutendorf has helped improve our playing standards and has put our soccer on the map by enlarging the promotion of the sport.

"I am naturally thrilled to be in the present youth squad and although I played in midfield in the recent Youth Championships I think that Rudi knows I am a defender.

"I will be glad just to make the eleven".

And thousands of football fans throughout the land will be glad to watch this young man if his current progress is any measure of the skills he has to offer the football starved Australian public.

By CRAIG MACKENZIE

Regional Re-draw

The following format has been re-drawn for the Victorian Regional games.

Saturday June 7: Central v Northern, Dandenong v Western, Peninsula v Geelong.

Saturday June 28: Western v Central, Dandenong v Peninsula, Geelong v Northern.

Saturday July 19: Central v Dandenong, Peninsula v Northern, Western v Geelong.

Saturday August 9: Northern v Dandenong, Peninsula v Western, Geelong v Central.

Saturday September 6: Central v Peninsula, Northern v Western, Dandenong v Geelong.

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Votes for the General Tourist Best Player Award, a return trip for two to New Zealand.

GEORGE CROSS v JUVENTUS
3 - Wilkinson (GC)
2 - Paparas (GC)
1 - Papas (GC)

CROYDON v SLAVIA
3 - Pongho (Croy)
2 - McCombe (Croy)
1 - Lawson (Slav)

HAKOAH v SUNSHINE
3 - Jordanou (H)
2 - Kent (H)
1 - Mussel (S)

CROATIA v FRANKSTON
3 - Young (F)
2 - Lowe (F)
1 - Mitten (C)

ALTONA v MAKEDONIA
3 - Cannell (A)
2 - Watters (A)
1 - Petrovski (M)

W. SUBURBS v GREEN GULLY
3 - Vojtek (GG)
2 - Dunne (GG)
1 - Greechan (WS)

Progressive totals:
9 - Curcio (J), Paparas (GC), McCombe, Murphy (Croy).
8 - Cullen (M), Morrey (GG).
7 - Dunne (GG), Cannell (A), Gibson (H), Glykokalamos (WS), Lucchesi (M), Singleton, Mussel (S).
6 - Wilkinson (GC), Whyte, Lewis (A).

Leading goalscorers:
7 - McGuinness (J)
5 - Ward, McMillan (M), Pocock (S), Gilder (C).
4 - French (H), Wyllie (Croy), Adams (F).

Chivers v Munro: the Scot will triumph

Gillon Oval in Brunswick will not resemble Bannockburn after the Frankston-Juventus clash but Martin Chivers in his debut for the Baysiders raises the possibility of an interesting battle between the former English international and former Scottish international Frank Munro.

In my totally unbiased opinion the Scot will triumph and the Sassenach will return over the border from whence he came once, triumphant but now crawling and snivelling like a wretch just like what happened at Bannockburn way back in 1314 when the mighty Bruce, wielding his broadsword above his head, led the courageous Scots to their memorable victory against the English oppressors by trampling the . . .

Getting back to Culloden, sorry, Gillon Oval, Juventus should win because of the great form of Bobby McGuinness who is sticking it right up a couple of PSL clubs.

Juve full back Tony Curcio is just the man to take care of The 'Roadrunner' Bruce Young and stem this important avenue of Frankston attacks.

Green Gully gets another chance to test how far away it is from the Croatia-Makedonia category when it clashes with Makedonia at Green Gully Reserve, St Albans, on Sunday.

Gully coach Bobby McLachlan probably will use a man-to-man marking system to counter the brilliance of Makedonia's front trio, Gary Ward, George McMillan and Robert Cullen.

McLachlan used this system against Croatia two weeks ago with moderate success but if his players cut out Makedonia's strikers and check the supply of balls from the Makedonia midfield, then Gully can grab a point.

The tightness of Croydon Park will worry visitors Croatia and Noel Mitten, Carl Gilder and Tommy Cumming will have little space in which to run at opponents on one-on-one situations.

Croydon's two strikers should not worry Croatia's defence but the adventurous nature and shooting power of Croydon midfielder Kees Doornenbal could bring the best out of Croatia keeper Peter Blasby.

Croydon's industrious midfield will not allow Croatia to dwell on the ball and providing Croatia's go slow tactics at the back do not break Croydon's patience, the game could end in a draw.

Saturday's clash between arch rivals Altona and Sunshine should produce a great spectacle at Kim Reserve.

Altona can win as it is showing signs of putting 90 minutes together and Dave Hoyland and Robbie Craw can thread their way through the Shiners' defence.

Archie Campbell's struggling George Cross may slide further into the relegation zone if Hakoah's Graham French and Chris Kent strike again.

With more bite up front Hakoah can take most teams in the State League.

Billy Wilkinson and Laurie Belusic are playing their hearts out every week for Cross but unless the club management can find the money to buy a quality midfielder and striker then Wilkinson and Belusic will sink with the flagship of the Maltese Line.

Little can be said about Slavia's chances against Western Suburbs.

• Our guest tipster this week is Slavia coach Tony Vrzina (pictured). Tony's selections with likely winners in capitals:

ALTONA v Sunshine at Kim Reserve, Saturday, 2.45 pm.

Croydon v Croatia (draw) at Croydon Park, Sunday, 3 pm.

Frankston v Juventus (draw) at Gillon Oval, Sunday, 3 pm.

Green Gully v Makedonia (draw) at Green Gully Reserve, Sunday, 3 pm.

George Cross v HAKOAH at Olympic Park No. 2, Sunday, 3 pm.

SLAVIA v Western Suburbs at the Showgrounds, Sunday, 3 pm.

Victorian State League with Craig MacKenzie

Altona, 'Cross hit form

Frankston prepared to welcome former English international striker Martin Chivers into its first team by drawing an absorbing encounter with Croatia 2-2 after a tough match over which referee Sam Zoumas had little control.

Altona stopped Makedonia from recording its sixth win in eight games by fighting back from a 2-0 half time deficit to grab a worthy point from its more fancied rivals.

George Cross played its best football of the season to convincingly defeat Juventus after the Black and Whites had used both their substitutes and had no replacement when Bruno Sabidussi had to be carried off in the 83rd minute.

GEORGE CROSS 2 (Morgan, Curcio, o.g.) JUVENTUS 0

GEORGE CROSS: Gay 8(inj. sub Graham 70th) — Hooper 8, Wilkinson 9, Belusic 8, Maitland 8 — Zeigelaar 7, Castiello 6, Paparas 9, Papas 8 — Morgan 7, Cowan 7(sub Mizzi half time).

JUVENTUS: Reilly 6 — Curcio 7, Munro 7, Della Rocca 6, Nelson 6 — Sabidussi 6(inj. carried off 83rd), Tarquinio 5(sub Crino 60th), Henry 5 — Risovski 5, Gillan 6(sub Incantalupo 75th), McGuinness 6.

Juve's Jack Reilly and Tony Curcio were the main culprits responsible for both Cross goals but Archie Campbell's lads deserve a pat on the back for showing their rivals what endeavour and heart can do for a team.

Manny Poulakakis made two substitutions in the second half and could not replace the injured Bruno Sadiduusi whose departure left Juve with ten men.

Campbell's ploy of playing Tony Cowan and Damien Morgan up front and Jim Paparas in midfield worked a treat.

Paparas attacked from deep and was hard to pick up while Cowan and Morgan often ran wide allowing Paparas room to move inside.

Former Filipino keeper Oliviera Gay made two excellent saves in the half as Juventus looked sharper up front with Bobby McGuiness bussing about and causing Gary Hooper and Laurie Belusic many problems.

But Cross gradually took over and the last 10 minutes should have seen it two up instead of one.

On the stroke of half time Tony Cowan found acres of space six yards out and although Reilly got a hand to Cowan's header, full back Curcio, in trying to clear, kicked the ball against Reilly and into the empty net.

The second half was all Cross as Juve's patience waned.

A long clearance saw Morgan beat Pat Della Rocca in the challenge and steady before drilling a low shot inside the near post with Reilly closer to the centre of his goals.

CROATIA 2 (Tront, Kokoska) FRANKSTON 2 (Wall, Adams)

CROATIA: Blasby 7 — Short 6, Gardiner 7, Kokoska 7, Bilaver 5 — Tront 6, Andrews 7, Adams 6 — Batinovic 5 (Klarin 65th) Gilder 7, Mitten 8.

FRANKSTON: Whiteside 7 — Lowe 8 — Parton 8, McCluskey 7, Adams 7, Vaill 7 — Buchanan 5 (sub Coulsen 85th), Cooper 6, Webb 6 — Wall 8(inj. sub Runje 80th), Young 8.

Frankston came to Olympic Park aware of the only way it could successfully compete with Croatia and left with a point after a bruising battle.

Frankston commited five fouls and had a player booked in the first three minutes.

The crime count at the end of the match read four Frankston players booked while Steve Kokoska was the only Croatia player cautioned.

Frankston's Bruce Young was the most dangerous foward on the park and when he got his head up instead of charging towards the corner flag, he was brilliant.

Both Frankston goals came from Young's crosses, the first to the near post where Kevin Wall beat John Gardiner and headed home.

This equalised a brilliant goal from Croatia when Joe Tront and Noel Mitten played a one-two and Tront smashed the return pass into the roof of the net from the edge of the area.

From the start of the second half a great through ball from David Webb sent Young on his way and he crossed to Bob Adams on the far post for the Baysiders to grab the lead.

Croatia's equaliser came when Kokoska battled past three bodies.

CROYDON 2 (Loughnan, Wyllie) SLAVIA 0.

CROYDON: Keogh — McKinlay, McCombe, Pongho, Murphy — Howarth, Smith, Doornenbal, Brogan — Forsyth (sub Wyllie half time), Loughnan (sent off 77th).

SLAVIA: Pugliese — N. Haupt, Lawson, Houston, Pye — Cooke, Cullen, Williams — McGorian, Griffiths (sub Pahjlina half time), Jurina (sub G. Haupt 74th).

Slavia desperately needs a couple of classy, experienced players to lift the seven inexperienced men presently staffing the first team.

"The red light is staring us in the face and unless we do something we will go down," said Slavia manager Tony Vrzina.

Croydon won in the second half after striking determined opposition from Slavia for the first 45 minutes.

Jim Wyllie replaced Rob Forsyth at half time and his pace worried Slavia's back four.

Peter loughnan opened the scoring when he followed in on Dave Brogan's blocked shot and hammered it home from 18 yards.

Then a crazy goal decided the issue.

A long ball was played behind the Slavia defence and everyone stopped, expecting referee Jack Readshaw to give off-side.

But Readshaw allowed play to continue and the first man to move was Wyllie, who dummied Slavia keeper Elvio Pugliese before slotting the ball home.

Slavia's plight is best highlighted by its need to play half-fit players in Steve Lawson and keeper Pugliese.

Croydon is slowly starting to rise and it seems to be a serious contender for the top four. Alan Pongho gave a brilliant display as sweeper.

ALTONA 2 (Hoyland, Whyte) MAKEDONIA 2 (Ward, McMillan)

ALTONA: Van der Peol — Lewis, Cannell, Gramsbergen, Wilson — Kelly, Watters, Whyte, J. Little — Hoyland, Craw.

MAKEDONIA: Kastner — Rainey, Flavelle, Higham, Beach — Lucchesi, Lesbrial, Petrovski — Cullen, McMillan, Ward (inj. sub B. Coyle 75th).

Makedonia had the chance to sew up this game in the first half when Altona was totally disorganised and could string few passes together under the pressure of the early Makedonia onslaught.

In the 20th minute, Lube Petrovski played the ball out of midfield to George McMillan whose cross was met first time by Gary Ward but smothered by Altona's keeper Jan van der Poel.

Ward followed up and tapped home the rebound with van der Poel stranded.

The second goal came in the 38th minute.

Gordon Flavelle took off on the right before taking the ball to the line and crossing to the penalty spot.

McMillan was steaming in at 100 miles an hour and his header soared into the top corner of the Altona goal, giving van der Poel no chance.

In the second half Altona coach Joe Wilson pushed Billy Whyte up to the central striking role with Robbie Craw and Dave Hoyland out wide.

Altona surged forward and knocked Makedonia out of its stride.

The first goal came from a set move.

Peter Lewis took a long throw in from the right and Whyte flicked it on at the near post. Hoyland was running in and headed home.

Altona's equaliser came from a Craw corner on the right.

Lewis challenged strongly with Makedonia's keeper Lou Kastner who dropped the ball and Whyte lobbed neatly into the back of the Makedonia goal.

HAKOAH 2 (French, Jordanou) SUNSHINE 0

HAKOAH: O'Hara — Wilson, Gadsby, Dosen, Rooney — Jordanou, McNeill, G. Bannon, Loh, French, Kent.

SUNSHINE: Contini — Donaldson, Mussel, Ellis, McRobert — Laing, Singleton (sub Esposito half

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TEAM OF THE WEEK

GAY (GC)

DUNNE (GG) — CANNELL (A) — WILKINSON (GC) — PONGHO (Croy)

JORDANOU (H) — WATTERS (A) — VOJTEK (GG)

PAPARAS (GC) — MITTEN (C) — KENT (H)

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HAIL THE NEW HELLAS

South Melbourne Hellas finally has a team to be admired for the first time since the inception of the Philips league.

MIKE JOHNSON

I formed this conclusion while watching Hellas' excellent display against St George before Milan played Heidelberg/Marconi at the Sydney Cricket ground.

St George, with its new signings Ernie Campbell and Peter Stone, did not play badly but the composure and teamwork shown by the Melbourne team was outstanding.

South Melbourne made the top four in the first year of the Philips league under Dave Maclaren, but I do not believe it ever played quite so convincingly during that season as it did at the Cricket Ground.

Playing to the in-vogue 4-4-2 system, which I discussed a few weeks ago, South Melbourne played beautiful short, interpassing soccer.

The slower tempo one-touch style suits the vastly experienced Alun Evans and, surprisingly, his partner the speedy Duncan Cummings.

The inter-passing is broken up with the many dribbles of the midfielders-cum-wingers, George Campbell and Branko Buljevic.

Most of the build-ups started at the back, where sweeper Bernie Lutton was a key factor, though the other back four players also are highly skilful.

This especially applies to young Alan Davidson at full back.

The only query about Davidson is his ability to contain players and this is the major query I have on this South Melbourne team — whether under pressure they are prepared to work and graft to keep their goal intact until they can restore their own style again.

St George did not apply that type of pressure. It does not have the players to do so.

It played a similar style to South Melbourne, but not as well.

This brings me to another previous topic of mine. Players win games!

Of course the quality of coaching, management, motivation fitness and team selection will effect a player's performance — but generally 11 players of superior standard will win over players of a lesser standard.

South Melbourne had better players on the field than St George.

St George's former State league defender Richard Yamine was matched against England under 23 international Evans, inexperienced Peter Terry was opposing Australian international Cummings. Former State League player Billy Griffiths was matching his inexperience against former Scottish star Campbell, 19-year-old Peter Katholos found it hard to match the wiles, skill and experience of the gifted Buljevic.

This was the story round the field and was the reason for the 3-0 result to the Melbourne club.

Continuing on this premise, which among the bottom teams — West Adelaide, Blacktown City, Brisbane City, Leichhardt and St George — has the best playing staff?

St George has wonderful depth throughout its lower grades but unfortunately not enough players are experienced or top class.

I really am surprised at APIA-Leichhardt's current position, because it does have class players.

Brisbane City seems a little bare. Last year it carried a lot of luck with it.

Luck is an important factor when you meet teams, whether they are on a high or a low. Penalty kicks, shots against woodwork, injuries, all these play an important part in the eventual team placing.

I cannot accept the criterion that West Adelaide and Saints are team building.

Both clubs have had three and a half seasons to do that.

Looking at the Blacktown City staff, Mick Jones seems to be doing a good job there.

But despite Blacktown's recent recovery, I think relegation could lie between Blacktown and Brisbane City.

Allowing that coaching does play the biggest part in team performance, we must congratulate South Melbourne's John Margaritis and again Mick Jones and watch the impact of Raul Blanco, Gerry Chaldi and Brisbane City's player-coach George Potter.

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The rediscovery of Blacktown City's Bruce Stowell as a player highlights one of Australian sport's peculiarities — the premature retirement of its top sportspeople.

Bruce Stowell, in typical Australian fashion, retired from playing at the end of season 1976 when he had just won the NSW Rothmans medal.

He was then 36, still fit enough to mix it with fellows like Murray Barnes, Mark Jankovics, Phil O'Connor and the rest who were playing State league just before the advent of the Philips league.

And over them he had this priceless asset of 20 years of professional soccer with all that it meant to his reading of the game, organising of players and general composure under pressure.

At age 37 Stowell took over as coach of Sydney Olympic for the start of the Philips League and again in Australian fashion, was kicked out of the job after just three months.

Overnight he was lost to the game as both player and coach as he retired to his northern NSW home to spend more time with his young son, a budding star in the northern NSW junior team.

His comeback as a player came this year when Mick Jones, coach of Blacktown City, desperate for experienced player to guide his youngsters, tol dhim to dog out his boots and give it a goe at Gabbie Stadium.

So at age 40, more than three years out of the game, Stowell was asked to make a comeback in a league considerably superior to any he previously had played in during his stay in Australia and with a team that struggled from the start of the season.

Yet Mick Jones tells me that Bruce has been one of his most consistent players.

One game he was voted the man of the match.

Peter Wilson, this season aged 32, has been branded "over the hill"!

Jimmy Rooney, and Ivo Prskalo, both older than Wilson, were said to be too old for the national team, yet nowadays are among the first player chosen.

The fact is that an athlete's aerobic capacity (the measurement of endurance) — which shows his ability to take in and distribute oxygen through his body — does not depreciate significantly until he is well the other side of 40.

I believe every soccer player who is not effected by disabling injury and still retains his enthusiasm for the game, should be able to play effectively till age 38.

Yet the retirement target for most of our players seems to be about 33.

I counselled Manfred Schaefer not to quit playing at age 32.

He was so fit and had so much experience to offer St George and Australian socer at the end of the 1974 World Cup competition.

I told him he should set his sights on the 1978 World Cup and forget about coaching for a few years.

He ignored my advice and along with John Warren quit playing to coach St George.

Again, predictably, he lasted but a short while in the white hot coaching seat at St George and now, at age 38, he is currently lost to the game as player and coach.

John Warren currently suffers the same fate.

Although he had a knee injury, it is probable that he too could have continued playing at a high level for several more years after his premature retirement.

St George's successful coach, Frank Arok, had plans for Warren to become sweeper in the later stages of his career, just as has Adelaide City idol, John Perin.

Arok helped "Soccer Action" writer, Tom Anderson, have one of his best ever seasons for St George in the unaccustomed position of stopper when he was 37.

In Australia our top players become coaches and then ex-coaches far too soon and consequently many of them take no significant part in the game at all by the time they reach 40.

Hakoah (NSW) star Alan Marnoch is another in this category.

In Europe players play longer, start coaching later and continue coaching into their 60's.

Experience is valued even more than youthful energy and enthusiasm.

My advice to all players in their early 30's who still love the game is hang on in there — you are a long time retired.

South Melbourne Hellas' exciting attackers, from left: Duncan Cummings, Alun Evans, George Campbell and Branko Buljevic.

Goalkeeper Toth breaks leg

Former Slavia coach Harry Chalkitis struck disaster in his first assignment as coach of Metro Second Division club Melbourne.

Young Melbourne keeper Ernie Toth broke his leg in two places in the first five minutes of the match.

Toth has regularly represented Victoria throughout the junior ranks and his loss is a major blow to Melbourne's fortunes this year.

The gfame against Knox City was held up for 30 minutes untill an ambulance arrived to take Toth to hospital.

Upon resumption Melbourne was overpowered by Knox and went in at the interval 3-1 down.

Morwell Falcons slipped up against lowly Doncaster Rovers and Park Rangers jumped back to the top of the league by thrashing Waverley 6-1.

Frankston Pines should have been five down at the break against a Fawkner side that rattled the Pines throughout the first half.

The second half produced six goals and a dramatic finish when Fawkner missed a penalty in the last minute but Pines scrambled an away point that leaves them at the top of the table on goal difference.

Ringwood United recorded a convincing 3-0 victory over St. Albans to move to within three points of the two front runners.

Mornington was held to a 1-1 draw against Corio but increased its lead at the top of Division Four to two points after Sandringham was beaten by Moorabbin and Werribee drew with North Dandenong.

Sandringham paid dearly for the inability of centre half Steve Harburn to hold Moorabbin's fine striker Dave Owens, who scored both Moorabbin goals.

The shock result of the Metro Leagues was Dandenong City's 5-1 drubbing of Albion Rovers.

Dandenong coach Norrie Davey has a successful history of producing fit and fiercely competitive sides and his influence could carry Dandenong to a fairly successful year in Division One.

The Victorian leagues

METRO DIVISION ONE

SPRINGVALE CITY 2 NORTHCOTE CITY 3

SCORERS: Springvale Fowler 2. Northcote Tsetsos 3.

SPRINGVALE: Mur, Adam, Vogel, Christians, Lawler, McArthur, Gollan, Smart, Barca, Fowler, Beard, Robertson, Crivari, Perry Mur.

NORTHCOTE: Tachiris, Stouiannou, Loukas, Nicolaidis, Bozikis, Ganinidis, Paulouso, Tsetsos, Ignatidis, Nicolaidis, Koulialas, Santangelo, Glanopoulos, B Sahinidis.

BEST PLAYERS: Springvale Fowler, Christians. Northcote Sahinisis, Nicolaidis.

MARIBYRNONG 2 (Krysinski Lakic), DOVETON 2.

MARBYRNONG: Dzielakowski, Wszola, J. Dimitriou, Herman (Inj. Korsak 55th min), Rachwalski, A Capnik, P Capnik, R Lipiarski, Lakic, Krysinski, Esposito (Inj. Lambrou 80th Min.

After a goalless first half both sides hit two each after the break.

Doveton, the better side on the day, hit the front just after the break.

But Ted Krysinskis equalized from a direct free kick and Brendan Lakic put Maribyrnong ahead until Irvine, after beating three defenders, shot past keeper Leszek Dzielakowski to give his side a well deserved point.

Maribyrnong, was without Ron Horfiniak and Michael Pichner because of knee injuries and Joe Herman and Ralph Esposito are both doubtful for next week's game because of injuries.

DIVISION THREE

ELTHAM 0 PRAHRAN CITY 3

SCORERS: Tracy 2, Pearce.

ELTHAM: Payne, Loe, Cockran, M. Cirka, Gooney, McIntosh, P Cirka, Norton, Palermo, Spaniak, Radojcic. Res. Beck, Lamouneux, Roach.

PRAHRAN: Godwin, Jackson, Smith, Lazarevic, Henderson, Pearce, McCallum, Douglas, Towers, Sowerby, Tracy. Res. Stewart, Campbell, Rushent.

BEST PLAYERS: Eltham, Cochran, Lee, Cirka, Gooney. Prahran: Tracy, McCalum, Pearce.

BROADMEADOWS 1 (Alderson) COBURG 1 (Deans)

BROADMEADOWS: Pace, Huke, Sendra, Biner, Merga, Alderson, Vella, Reardon, Belli, Sacco, Wilmot. Substitutes: Sciciuna, Bertolo, Gauchi.

COBURG: Cummins, Scarlet, Jones, Bolton, Crooks, Frampton, Daly, Malcolm, Yearsley, Deans, Giacomi. Substitutes: Skitt, Stevens, Crooks.

BEST PLAYERS: Broadmeadows: Pace, Sendra, Sacco. Coburg: Jones, Frampton, Deans.

Deans put Coburg in front when he shot past the Broadmeadows goalkeeper from close range but Alderson replied with the equaliser for the home side after making no mistake with the penalty.

DIVISION FOUR

NUNAWADING CITY 2 KEYSBOROUGH 1

SCORERS: NUNAWADING: Mullett, West pen.

Nunawading City recorded a hard fought victory against Keysborough after leading 1-0 at half time. City's opening goal was scored by Phil Mullett who ran onto a through ball and gave the Keysborough keeper no chance.

Keysborough equalised in the second half but a penalty settled the issue in City's favour.

PROVISIONAL ONE

HAMLYN RANGER 1 GREENSBOROUGH 0

SCORERS: Broadley.

HAMLYN: Nydam, O'Gilvie, Shuttleworth, Fraser, J Tutone, M Tutone, Broadley, Gilfoyle, Fridey, Munro. Mets. Res: Dunn, Muir, McMeechan, Matulic.

GREENBOROUGH: Poser, Bemers, Clarile, Finlayson, Norris, Abonyi, Lamb, H Robertson, T Robertson, BEer, Martin. Res: Drake, Gorrey.

BEST PLAYERS: Hamlyn: OGilvie, J Tutone, Shuttleworth, Munro. Greensborough: Poster, BEmers, Abonyi, T Robertson.

PROVISIONAL TWO

CARLTON 1 CENTRAL ALTONA 1

SCORERS: CARLTON: Pejrovic, 5th. Central Altona: Iljevski 11th.

CARLTON: Cvijic, B. Milosavgevic, Celanic, (P. Knric), Rajic, D Milisavgevic, Dordevic, Jevtovic, Stojanovic, Pejkovic, Bjelogrlic, Z Knric.

C ALTONA: Packovski, Stojanovski, Ristevski, Dorcevski, B. Stojcevski, V Stojcevski, Ristevski(sent off 78th), Iljevski, Ivanovski.

BEST PLAYERS: Carlton, Pejkovic, B Jelogrlic. B Milisavjevic. C Altona: V Stojcevski, Ivanovski, Iljevski.

THOMASTOWN 4 BALLARAT 0

SCORERS: Dallas, Tavolaro, Gasparini, Heable.

THOMASTOWN: Raponi, Rizzo, Borin, Traikopoulos, Karamitanis, Lia, Heable, Papadopoulos, Tavolaro, Dallas, Comar, (Gasparini, Zuanetti, Tavarna).

BALLARAT: R. Romein, McNeight, Kennedy, D Romein, Macksacheff, Holvatek, Blackmore, Ives, Higgins, Gunn, Stevenson, (Gicen, Hollywood, George).

BEST PLAYERS: Thomastown — Dallas, Papadopoulos, Tavolaro, Karamitanis. Ballarat — R. Romein, Kennedy, Blackmore.

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time), R. Nelson — Coyle, Pocock, D. Nelson (sub Mudrinovic 65th).

Hakoah may have found the combination that will gain results this season.

At long last it showed a refreshing positive attitude and played Mike Loh and Chris Kent wide up front with Graham French as central striker.

With Ian McNeill buzzing about in the midfield, the stage was set for a Hakoah victory.

Sunshine coach Ian Petherick was critical of the lack of endeavour shown by his team:

"On the day we were pathetic," said Petherick.

"Frank Mussel was the only player we had and one against eleven is just not on."

WESTERN SUBURBS 1 (Greechan) GREEN GULLY 2 (Segi, Vojtek).

WESTERN SUBURBS: Mitanidis — Kypiritidis, Glykokalennos, Jaworski, Daglis (sub J. Christoudias half time) — Kupisz, Greechan, N. Christoudias — Kypreos, Carr, Patsakos.

GREEN GULLY: Denys — Smart, Dunne, Patten, Crilly — Hogben (sub Beller 75th), Bennett, Vassallo, Vojtek — Bennie (sub Parkin 80th), Segi.

Green Gully looked too classy for a sadly disorganised Western Suburbs at Middle Park.

Gully returned to the scene of its Philips Cup success against J.U.S.T. to outplay Suburbs.

The opening goal came after a fine interpassing movement involving Bill Vojtek, Andy Segi, Steve Bennie and Willie Vassallo, ending with Segi scoring after Vassallo had squared to him from a shot parried by Wests' keeper Alex Mitanidis.

Billy Vojtek celebrated his return to favour by scoring Gully's second.

Vojtek and Vassallo played a one-two, then Vassallo again fed Vojtek who ran onto the ball and smacked it into the roof of the net.

Steve Carr lacked the finishing that his transfer fee should warrant but then Gully defender John Patten stayed tight on Carr all day.

Suburbs' consolation goal was from a volley by Greechan that Gully keeper Lou Denys claimed got caught up in the sun and blinded him.

SELECTIONS

Selections by Craig Mackenzie

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE DIVISION I: Saturday: Richmond v RINGWOOD CITY, DOVETON v Moreland, Altona Gate v Springvale City (draw), BOX HILL v Kellor. Sunday: ALBION ROVERS v Maribyrnong, NORTHCOTE v Dandenong City.

DIVISION II Saturday: Heidelberg United v Ardeer (draw), BELL PARK v Knox City, MORWELL FALCONS v South Melbourne, Waverley City v Doncaster Rovers (draw), Port Melbourne v PARK RANGERS, MELBOURNE v Footscray.

DIVISION III Saturday: Ferntree Gully v BROADMEADOWS CITY, Coburg v RINGWOOD UNITED, PRAHRAN CITY v Chelsea, Heidelberg v ELTHAM, FRANKSTON PINES v Yallourn, St. Albans v FAWKNER.

DIVISION IV Saturday: WERRIBEE v Brighton, Monash University v MOOROOLBARK, SANDRINGHAM v Nth. Dandenong, KEYSBOROUGH v Moorabbin City, Mornington v NUNAWADING CITY, Caulfield City v CORIO.

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE Saturday: DIVISION I: Greensborough v MELTON, South Yarra v ROYAL PARK, Hotham United v HAMLYN RANGERS, Clayton v SOUTH OAKLEIGH, GEELONG v Essendon City, SUNBURY UNITED v Rosebud.

DIVISION II: Nunawading United v KARINGAL UNITED, University of Melb. v EAST BRUNSWICK, Ballarat v HAWKSBURN, Central Altona v THOMASTOWN, Hawthorn Citizens v CARLTON, Langwarrin v Bye.

DIVISION III: Berwick City v MORDIALLOC, NORTH GEELONG v Bulleen, POSTEL INSTITUTE v South Dandenong, Clifton Hill v Regent (draw), Rosanna v Moe United (draw), Boronia v SHEPPARTON CITY.

DISTRICT LEAGUE CUP. SEMI-FINALS: Sunday, Chaplin Reserve: 1.30 pm Central Brunswick v EAST CARLTON, 3 pm Mossfiel Rangers v YARRAVILLE. RESERVE CUP. SIMI-FINALS: Sunday, Cochrane Reserve: 1 pm Yarraville v NTH. SUNSHINE, 2.45 pm MOONEE PONDS v Monbulk.

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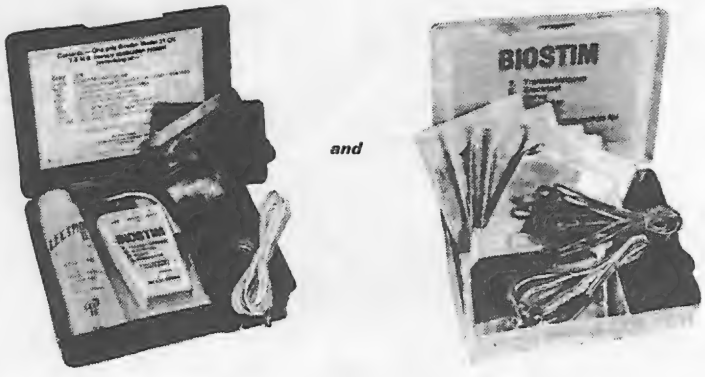

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STATE LEAGUE Sydney Olympic — Arncliffe Scots 3:1, Inter Monaro — Auburn 1:1, Avala — Kuringai 3:3, Sutherland — North Sydney 1:2, Croatia — Canterbury 5:1, Manly — Bankstown 4:1, Parramatta City — Melita Eagles 1:2.

Melita Eagles	11	9	1	1	18	5	19
Sydney Olympic	10	8	1	1	24	8	17
Canterbury	11	6	1	4	16	18	13
Auburn	10	5	2	3	17	14	12
Avala	10	5	2	3	14	12	12
Croatia	10	4	2	4	21	12	10
Arncliffe Scots	10	4	2	4	19	16	10
Sutherland	10	3	3	4	8	10	9
Kuringai	9	2	3	4	14	16	7
North Sydney	9	3	1	5	11	19	7
Inter Monaro	9	1	4	4	5	10	6
Bankstown	9	3	0	6	13	20	6
Parramatta City	10	2	2	6	10	24	6
Manly Warringah	10	1	2	7	9	19	4

THIS WEEK: Saturday, Bankstown — Parramatta, Soccer Centre; Sunday, Melita Eagles — Inter Monaro, Garside Park; Auburn — Sydney Olympic, Mona Park; Arncliffe Scots — Avala, Hurstville Oval; Kuringai — Sutherland, Parklands Oval; North Sydney — Croatia, North Sydney Oval; Canterbury — Manly, Arlington Oval.

DIVISION 1: Belmore — Sydney City 3:2, Blacktown Utd — Blacktown City 1:4, St. George — Revesby Workers 2:4, Warringah — Revesby Workers 2:3, Marconi — Polonia 3:0, St. George — Penrith 5:0, Wollongong — Leichhardt 4:1, Bathurst & Yugal 2:1.

Bathurst '75	11	7	3	2	22	14	17
Blacktown City	10	6	4	0	16	4	16
Marconi	10	6	2	2	26	12	14
St George	11	6	2	3	30	17	14
Uni. of NSW	10	6	2	2	23	11	14
Revesby Rovers	13	6	3	4	24	31	15
Polonia	11	5	2	4	27	22	12
Wollongong	9	4	3	2	17	11	11
Blacktown Utd.	11	3	2	6	12	19	10
Sydney City	9	3	3	3	23	14	9
Leichhardt	9	3	2	4	24	16	8
Penrith	12	3	1	8	15	30	7
Belmore	10	2	2	6	13	27	6
Yugal	10	1	3	6	9	23	5
Warringah	11	0	0	11	5	35	0

DIVISION 2: Lethbridge Rangers — Queens Park 2:2, Guildford — Campbelltown City 1:1, Marrickville — Baulkham Hills 2:4, Dee Why — Gladesville Ravens 0:1, Yagoona — North Bankstown 0:2, Lane Cove — Gladesville Hornsby 1:2

Campbelltown	8	5	3	0	14	5	13
Guildford	7	5	2	1	18	7	12
North Bankstown	7	4	2	1	20	7	10
Glads. Ravens	7	3	3	1	11	5	9
Yagoona	7	4	1	2	8	6	9
Glades. Hornsby	8	3	1	4	10	14	7
Dee Why	8	3	1	4	5	9	7
Queens Park	8	2	3	3	4	13	7
Lethbridge	7	2	2	3	14	9	6
Baulkham Hills	7	2	1	4	12	16	5
Lane Cove	7	1	2	4	6	11	4
Marrickville	8	0	1	6	2	18	1

DIVISION 3: Wenty Waratahs — Sydney Uni. 1:3, North Ryde — Artarmon 0:1, Liverpool Albion — Bonnyrigg 0:2, Riverstone — Hurstville 1:0, Bondi Marines — West Ryde Rovers 4:1, Port Hacking — Kingsford 0:2

Bondi Marine	8	5	3	0	20	8	13
North Ryde	8	4	3	1	12	8	11
Bonnyrigg	8	5	0	3	17	9	10
Sydney Uni.	7	3	3	1	8	6	9
Kingsford	7	4	1	2	12	11	9
Artarmon	7	3	2	2	11	8	8
Liver. Albion	6	3	1	2	8	7	7
Hurstville	7	3	0	4	9	11	6
Riverstone	7	2	2	3	8	11	4
West Ryde	7	1	1	5	11	20	3
Wenty Waratahs	8	1	1	6	8	17	3
Port Hacking	8	1	1	6	7	16	3

NSW DIVISION 4: West Holroyd — Ryde District 1:6, Paddington — Eastern Ck 1:1, Maroubra — Chelsea 1:3, Padstow — Revesby 2:0, Canley Heights — Fairfield Kiev. 1:1, Eastwood — bye

Eastern Ck.	6	5	1	0	14	6	11
Eastwood	6	5	0	1	17	10	10
Fairfield	7	3	3	1	14	7	9
Paddington	7	3	3	1	10	7	9
Padstow	7	4	0	3	18	8	8
Ryde District	6	4	0	2	18	12	8
Canley Heights	8	2	2	4	12	16	6
West Holroyd	8	1	3	4	14	23	5
Chelsea	7	2	1	4	5	14	5
Maroubra	8	1	1	6	13	24	3
Revesby Rovers	6	0	2	4	5	14	2

NSW DIVISION 5: Fairfield West — Macquarie Uni. 1:0, Haberfield — Camden 1:1, North Rocks — Edensor Park 3:2, Pagewood — Maccabi 2:1, Auburn Juniors — Concordia 1:7, West St. George — Winston Hills 0:0

Concordia	8	6	2	0	28	6	14
Fairfield W.	8	4	4	0	13	3	12
North Rocks	7	4	1	2	17	10	9
Macquarie Uni.	7	4	0	3	18	9	8
Edensor Park	7	3	2	3	18	14	8
Camden	8	3	2	3	16	17	8
West St. George	8	2	4	2	9	11	8
Maccabi	8	2	2	4	14	15	6
Winston Hills	7	2	3	2	10	11	8
Haberfield	7	2	1	4	7	18	5
Pagewood	8	1	3	4	7	18	5
Aurburn Juniors B	8	0	2	6	7	30	2

DIVISION 6: Green Valley — Hawkesbury 0:3, Moorebank — Mount Pritchard 4:1, Bankstown Sp. Blacktown Wand. 2:7, Liverpool Utd. — Chullora 1:1, Liverpool City — Liverpool R. 1:1, South Sydney — Glenquarie 1:4

Moorebank	8	6	2	0	24	6	14
Glenquarie	8	5	1	2	24	9	11
Hawkesbury	7	4	3	0	15	3	11
Chullora	7	4	3	1	16	8	9
Blacktown Wand.	7	4	1	2	19	12	9
Liverpool City	7	3	2	2	12	8	8
Liverpool Utd.	8	3	2	3	11	10	8
Liverpool Rang.	7	3	2	2	7	7	8
Green Valley	7	1	2	4	8	12	4
Mount Pritchard	8	1	1	6	8	21	3
Bankstown Sp.	6	1	1	4	9	30	3
South Sydney	7	0	0	7	3	33	0

VICTORIA

SRATE LEAGUE Sunshine City v Hakoah Seniors 0-2, reserves 1-1, Western Suburbs v Green Gully 1-2, 5-0 Croydon v Slavia 2-0, 1-2, Croatia v Frankston 2-2, 1-1, Juventus v George Cross 0-2, 2-0, Macedonia v Altona 2-2, 0-0

DIVISION ★ Ringwood v Altona Gate 3-0, 0-1, Dandenong v Albion Rovers 5-1, 3-2, Polonia v Doveton 2-2 1-1, Springvale v Northcote 2-3, 1-1, Moreland v Box Hill 0-0, 0-0, Austria v Richmond 2-2 1-0.

DIVISION IIKnox v Melbourne 4-2, 3-4, Footscray v Port Melbourne 5-2, 0-1, Park Rangers v Waverley 6-1, 1-0, Doncaster v Morwell Falcons 3-2 0-0, South Melbourne v Heidelberg United 1-3, 5-2, Ardeer v Bell Park 1-2, 2-1

DIVISION III Ringwood United v St. Albans 3-0, 3-2, Fawkner v Frankston Pines 3-3, 1-1, Yallourn v Heidelberg 3-1, 3-0, Eltham v Prahran 0-3, 3-1, Chelsea v Ferntree Gully 2-2, 2-2, Broadmeadows v Coburg 1-1, 2-1

DIVISION IV Mooroolbark v Caulfield 2-0, 6-1, Corio v Mornington 1-1, 3-0, Nunawading v Keysborough 2-1, 5-1, Moorabbin City v Sandringham 2-1, 1-2, Nth Dandenong v Werribee 1-1, 2-1, Brighton v Monash University 2-1, 3-4

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE DIVISION I Royal Park v Sunbury 1-1, 0-3, Rosebud v Geelong 3-2, 3-1, Essendon v Clayton 4-1, 3-1, South Oakleigh v Hotham 0-1, 1-2, Hamlyn Rangers v Greensborough 1-0, 3-0, Melton v South Yarra 5-1, 4-2

DIVISION II East Brunswick v Langwarrin 4-1, 0-4, Bay v Hawthorn Citizens Carlton v Central Altona 1-1, 2-2, Thomastown v Ballarat 4-0, 4-1, Hawksburn v Nunawading United 1-0, 2-4, Karingal United v University 13-1, 2-5

DIVISION III Bulleen v Boronia 1-1, 1-0, Shepparton City v Rosanna 1-0, 1-4, Moe United v Clifton Hill 1-2, 2-1, Regent v Postal Institute 2-1, 0-3, South Dandenong v Berwick 1-1, 0-1, Mordialloc v North Geelong 0-1, 0-3

DISTRICT LEAGUE DIVISION I Monbulk v Moonee Ponds 1-3, 0-1, Yarraville v West Melbourne 5-0, 2-3, Burnley v Banksia 4-1, 2-0, Altona United v Cheltenham 0-4, 3-0, Pascoe Vale v Mitcham United 3-2 0-3, Central City v Brunswick City 3-1, 4-1

DIVISION II Diamond Creek v Hampton Wanderers 0-0, 2-4, Vermont v Yarraleen 5-0, 2-1, North Melbourne v North Sunshine 0-0, 0-2, Abbotsford v East Carlton 1-2, 2-0, Central Brunswick v West Brunswick 3-2, 1-0, Ascot United v Malvern City 4-1, 3-0

DIVISION III Cranbourne v Port United abandoned 67 min. 2-0, 0-0, Baxter v Clarinda 0-6, 2-2, West Geelong v Noble Park 11-0, 2-0, Parkmore v Batman United 1-0, 1-4, Balaclava v Murrumbeena United 2-0, 3-1, Mossfiel Rangers v SEaford United 2-1, 4-1

THE AMATEUR LEAGUE Meadow Park v Macleod United 0-1, Melbourne Uni Amateurs v Concord 2-1, Hosa United v Bundoora 0-2, Kooyong Rangers v Chadstone 3-2, Latrobe University v Maccabi Hakoah 1-5, Balwyn City v Lyndale United 1-5 Bye

STATE LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
Makedonia	8	5	2	1	16	6	12
Croatia	8	4	3	1	18	9	11
Green Gully	8	4	2	2	13	9	10
Croydon	8	4	2	2	16	7	10
Juventus	8	4	1	3	14	13	9
Hakoah	8	4	1	3	11	11	9
Sunshine	8	3	2	3	12	10	8
Frankston	8	2	3	3	12	12	7
Western Suburbs	8	2	3	3	10	13	7
George Cross	8	2	2	4	6	11	6
Altona	8	1	4	3	6	12	6
Slavia	8	0	1	7	6	19	1

RESERVES

Hakoah	8	5	3	0	11	3	13
Croatia	8	4	3	1	17	9	11
Juventus	8	5	1	2	9	4	11
Makedonia	8	4	2	2	12	5	10
Sunshine	8	3	4	1	13	7	10
George Cross	8	4	2	1	9	6	10
Green Gully	8	3	3	2	15	8	9
Altona	8	2	4	2	7	6	8
Frankston	8	1	3	4	9	13	5
Croydon	8	1	2	5	7	14	4
Western Suburbs	8	0	3	5	6	24	3
Slavia	8	1	0	7	5	22	2

DIVISION ONE

Polonia	7	4	3	0	12	5	11
Doveton	7	4	2	1	10	5	10
Albion Rovers	7	4	1	2	13	10	9
Ringwood City	7	4	0	3	10	6	8
Keilor-Austria	7	2	3	2	5	4	7
Northcote	7	3	1	3	10	11	7
MOreland	7	2	3	2	4	6	7
Dandenong	6	3	—	3	13	13	6
Box Hill	6	1	3	2	8	8	5
Springvale	7	1	3	3	7	10	4
Richmond	7	1	1	5	6	12	3

RESERVES

Keilor-Austria	7	5	2	0	12	3	12
Richmond	7	5	1	1	15	5	11
Box Hill	6	3	3	0	12	3	9
Doveton	7	2	4	1	7	6	8
Ringwood	7	2	3	2	9	8	7
Albion Rovers	7	3	—	4	11	12	6
Altona Gate	7	1	4	2	3	7	6
Polonia	7	1	3	3	9	11	5
Northcote	7	1	3	3	8	12	5
Dandenong	6	2	1	3	7	11	5
MOreland	7	1	3	3	8	15	5
Springvale	7	1	1	5	4	12	3

DIVISION TWO

Park Rangers	7	6	0	1	18	7	12
Morwell Falcons	7	5	1	1	19	8	11
Bell Park	7	4	2	1	14	10	10
Heidelberg Utd	6	2	3	1	9	5	7
Waverley City	7	3	1	3	12	15	7
Footscray	7	2	2	3	15	16	6
Knox City	7	1	4	2	9	9	6
Doncaster Rovers	7	2	2	3	10	13	6
South Melbourne	7	1	3	3	7	9	5
Ardeer	7	1	3	3	6	11	5
Melbourne	6	0	2	4	4	10	2

RESERVES

South Melbourne	7	6	1	0	23	9	13
Doncaster	7	5	1	1	22	5	11
Waverley City	7	5	0	2	24	4	10
Morwell Falcons	7	4	2	1	13		10
Port Melbourne	7	4	0	3	7	14	8
Park Rangers	7	3	1	3	8	9	7
Bell Park	7	3	0	4	12	22	6
Ardeer	7	2	1	4	12	25	5
Knox City	7	1	2	4	11	15	4
Melbourne	7	2	0	5	8	17	4
Heidelberg Utd	7	1	1	5	13	18	3
Footscray	7	1	1	5	7	18	3

DIVISION THREE

Frankston Pines	7	5	2	0	23	7	12
Fawkner	7	5	2	0	20	8	12
Broadmeadows	7	4	2	1	10	5	10
Ringwood Utd	7	4	1	2	18	11	9
Prahran City	7	4	0	3	12	8	8
Yallourn	7	3	1	3	11	8	7
Coburg	7	1	4	2	7	6	6
Eltham	7	2	2	3	8	12	6
St. Albans	7	2	2	3	6	15	6
Ferntree Gully	7	0	3	4	6	18	3
Chelsea	7	1	1	5	8	22	3
Heidelberg	7	0	2	5	7	17	2

RESERVES

Yallourn	7	6	1	0	18	1	13
Frankston Pines	7	6	1	0	27	5	13
Fawkner	7	4	1	2	18	4	9
Broadmeadows	7	4	1	2	17	8	9
Ringwood Utd	7	4	1	2	17	8	9
Eltham	7	3	3	1	12	9	9
Coburg	7	3	0	4	19	13	6
Prahran City	7	2	1	4	7	10	5
Ferntree Gully	7	1	3	3	8	18	5
St. Albans	7	1	1	5	7	22	3
Heidelberg	7	1	0	6	2	20	2
Chelsea	7	0	1	6	3	35	1

DIVISION FOUR

Mornington	7	5	2	0	14	3	12
Sandringham	7	5	0	2	12	6	10
North Dandenong	7	3	4	0	10	5	10
Werribee	7	4	1	2	15	8	9
Corio	7	3	2	2	7	4	8
Moorabbin	7	3	2	2	12	14	
Keysborough	7	3	1	3	7	9	7
Brighton	7	2	2	3	10	14	
Nunawading	7	2	1	4	7	11	5
Monash Univ.	7	2	1	4	7	11	5
Mooroolbark	7	1	2	4	6	10	4
Caulfield	7	0	0	7	2	08	0

RESERVES

Nunawading	7	5	1	1	21	8	11
Mooroolbark	7	4	2	1	27	7	10
Sandringham	7	5	0	2	22	13	10
Monash Univ.	7	4	2	1	20	14	10
Werribee	7	3	2	2	15	8	8
Keysborough	7	3	1	3	11	17	7
Moorabbin	7	2	2	3	12	12	6
North Dandenong	6	1	4	1	10	10	6
Brighton	6	2	1	3	11	9	5
Corio	7	2	1	4	7	15	5
Mornington	7	2	0	5	6	21	4
Caulfield	7	0	0	7	7	35	0

DIVISION ONE PROVISIONAL LEAGUE

Sunbury Utd	7	5	1	1	22	7	11
Royal Park	7	4	3	0	15	4	11
South Oakleigh	7	5	1	1	14	6	11
Essendon City	7	5	0	2	13	8	10
Melton	7	4	1	2	13	10	9
Hamlyn Rangers	7	4	0	3	10	9	8
Rosebud	7	3	1	3	11	10	7
Geelong	7	2	1	4	9	11	5
Clayton	7	2	1	4	12	17	5
Hotham Utd	7	2	1	4	9	15	5
Greensborough	7	1	0	6	4	13	2
South Yarra	7	0	0	7	8	30	0

RESERVES

Hamlyn Rangers	7	5	2	0	23	3	12
Melton	7	5	1	1	22	9	11
Geelong	7	5	1	1	16	9	11
Hotham Utd.	7	5	0	2	24	15	10
Greensborough	7	3	3	1	13	5	9
Sunbury Utd	7	3	1	3	13	8	7
Rosebud	7	3	0	4	15	17	6
Essendon City	7	2	2	3	8	17	6
Royal Park	7	2	1	4	13	23	5
South Yarra	7	1	1	5	9	13	3
Clayton	7	1	1	5	8	21	3
South Oakleigh	7	0	1	6	4	28	1

DIVISION TWO PROVISIONAL LEAGUE

Carlton	7	4	3	0	15	8	11
Thomastown	6	5	0	1	21	5	10
Langwarrin	7	4	1	2	13	7	9
East Brunswick	7	4	1	2	11	6	9
Nunawading Utd.	8	2	2	2	8	10	6
Karingal Utd	6	2	1	3	19	12	5
Central Altona	6	1	3	2	6	9	5
Hawthorn Citz.	7	1	2	3	7	8	4
Hawksburn	6	2	0	4	5	10	4
Univ. of Melbourne	7	1	2	4	8	28	4
Ballarat	6	1	1	4	5	18	3

Bendigo City WITHDRAWN

RESERVES

Langwarrin	7	5	1	1	19	9	11
Hawksburn	6	5	0	1	13	6	10
Ballarat	6	4	1	1	21	11	9
Nunawading Utd.	6	3	3	0	11	5	9
Thomastown	6	3	2	1	13	7	8
Univ. of Melb.	7	3	0	4	14	18	6
Central Altona	6	2	1	3	14	10	5
Carlton	7	0	4	3	8	21	4
Karingal	6	1	1	4	8	14	3
Hawthorn Citz.	6	1	1	4	5	11	3
East Brunswick	7	1	0	6	4	19	2

Bendigo City WITHDRAWN

DIVISION THREE/PROVISIONAL LEAGUE

Shepparton City	7	7	0	0	18	2	14
North Geelong	7	6	1	0	21	8	13
Bulleen	7	4	2	1	16	8	10
Rosanna	7	4	0	3	13	12	8
Moe Utd	7	2	3	2	11	8	7
Regent	7	3	0	4	14	15	6
Clifton Hill	7	3	0	4	13	17	6
Postal Institute	7	2	1	4	9	11	5
Boronia	7	2	1	4	8	18	5
Berwick City	7	1	2	4	12	18	4
Mordialloc	7	1	1	5	5	10	3
South Dandenong	7	0	3	4	5	18	3

RESERVES

Rosanna	7	6	0	1	18	8	12
Postal Institute	7	4	3	0	16	6	11
Bulleen	7	4	2	1	14	7	10
North Geelong	7	4	1	2	19	10	9
Moe Utd	7	3	2	2	13	7	8
Regent	7	4	0	3	14	13	8
Clifton Hill	7	2	2	3	16	14	6
Berwick City	7	2	2	3	8	10	6
Shepparton City	7	3	0	4	12	21	6
Boronia	7	0	3	4	3	9	3
South Dandenong	7	1	1	5	6	18	3
Mordialloc	7	1	0	6	3	15	2

DIVISION ONE/DISTRICT LEAGUE

Yarraville	7	6	1	0	23	4	13
West Melbourne	7	5	0	2	20	15	10
Central City	7	4	1	2	22	13	9
Altona Utd	7	4	1	2	19	10	9
Brunswick City	7	4	0	3	20	10	8
Cheltenham	7	4	0	3	18	11	8
Moonee Ponds	7	4	0	3	14	12	8
Burnley	7	4	0	3	18	21	8
Pascoe Vale	7	2	0	5	13	33	4
Banksia	7	1	1	5	4	18	3
Monbulk	7	1	0	6	8	17	2
Mitcham Utd	7	1	0	6	8	15	2

RESERVES

Central City	7	6	0	1	26	4	12
Yarraville	7	5	1	1	16	6	11
Brunswick City	7	4	2	1	14	8	10
Moonee Ponds	7	4	1	2	10	4	9
Altona Utd	7	4	0	3	16	10	8
West Melbourne	7	3	2	2	18	17	8
Burnley	7	4	0	3	9	10	8
Cheltenham	7	3	1	3	13	15	7
Monbulk	7	3	0	4	13	13	6
Banksia	7	0	2	5	4	12	2
Mitcham Utd	7	1	0	6	4	13	2
Pascoe Vale	7	0	1	6	1	20	1

DIVISION TWO/DISTRICT LEAGUE

East Carlton	7	6	1	0	18	2	13
Malvern City	7	5	1	1	28	9	11
Ascot Utd	7	3	3	1	20	11	9
Abbotsford Tessa	7	3	3	1	13	7	9
North Sunshine	7	4	1	2	16	10	9
West Brunswick	7	2	4	1	18	18	8
Central Brunswick	7	3	1	3	18	18	7
Vermont	7	1	3	3	13	17	5
Hampton Wanderers	7	2	1	4	14	21	5
North Melbourne	7	1	2	4	8	17	4
Diamond Creek	7	1	1	5	11	21	3
Yaraleen	7	0	1	6	5	27	1

RESERVES

North Sunshine	7	7	0	0	22	5	14
West Brunswick	7	6	0	1	26	6	12
Central Brunswick	7	3	2	2	13	12	8
Vermont	7	3	1	3	16	13	7
Ascot Utd	7	3	1	3	11	11	7
Hampton Wanderers	7	3	1	3	17	24	7
Abbotsford Tassa	7	3	0	4	10	11	6
East Carlton	7	2	2	3	9	13	6
Malvern City	7	2	1	4	9	14	5
Diamond Creek	7	2	1	4	9	16	5
North Melbourne	7	1	2	4	4	8	4
Yarraleen	7	0	3	4	8	18	3

DIVISION THREE DISTRICT LEAGUE

West Geelong	7	6	1	0	30	25	13
Clarinda	7	5	1	1	18	7	11
Balaclava	7	4	2	1	13	8	10
Cranbourne	6	5	0	1	12	7	10
Mossfiel Rangers	7	3	3	1	10	4	9
Port United	6	1	5	0	10	5	7
Murrumbeena Utd	7	2	1	4	10	12	5
Seaford Utd	7	2	1	4	10	13	5
Batman Utd	7	2	0	5	20	24	4
Parkmore	7	2	0	5	6	15	4
Noble Park	7	1	1	5	8	27	3
Baxter	7	0	1	6	5	28	1

RESERVES

Batman Utd	7	6	0	1	26	6	12
Mossfiel Rangers	7	5	1	1	23	9	11
West Geelong	7	5	0	2	12	8	10
Murrumbeena Utd	7	3	2	2	23	13	8
Balaclava	7	3	2	2	14	11	8
Clarinda	7	3	2	2	21	21	8
Port Utd	7	3	2	2	17	14	8
Seaford Utd	7	3	0	4	16	16	6
Baxter	7	2	2	3	17	22	6
Cranbourne	7	2	1	4	13	20	5
Noble Park	7	1	0	6	8	19	2
Parkmore	7	1	0	6	8	33	2

THE AMATEUR LEAGUE

Macleod Utd	6	6	0	0	20	6	12
Maccabi Hakoah	7	5	1	1	27	11	11
Lyndale Utd	7	5	0	2	18	8	10
Chadstone	7	3	2	2	19	11	8
Meadow Park	6	3	2	1	8	6	8
Bundoora	6	3	1	2	11	7	7
Melbourne Uni Amateur	7	3	0	4	14	21	6
Latrobe University	6	2	1	3	15	13	5
Hosa United	7	2	0	5	12	21	4
Kooyong Rangers	6	2	0	4	9	18	4
RMIT	6	2	0	4	9	18	4
Balwyn City	6	1	1	4	10	18	3
Concord	5	0	0	5	3	15	0

YOUTH LEAGUE CENTRAL

Essendon Croatia	4	3	1	0	11	4	7
Moreland	5	3	1	1	14	8	7
George Cross	5	3	1	1	9	4	7
Waverley City	4	2	2	0	16	8	6
Keilor	3	3	0	0	11	3	6
Croydon City	5	2	2	1	11	8	6
St Kilda Hakoah	5	2	0	3	9	9	4
Altona City	5	1	1	3	7	13	3
Broadmeadows	5	1	0	4	4	11	2
Frankston City	4	0	1	3	7	13	1
Juventus	3	0	1	2	4	13	0
Melton	2	0	0	2	2	13	0

YOUTH LEAGUE — SOUTH/EASTERN

Springvale City	4	4	0	0	20	6	8
Brighton	4	3	1	0	12	5	7
Frankston Pines	4	3	1	0	9	4	7
Ferntree Gully	4	2	2	0	8	5	6
Rosanna	6	2	1	3	12	12	5
Box Hill	4	2	1	1	11	14	5
Nunawading Cy	4	2	0	2	8	5	4
Knox City	3	1	1	1	5	6	3
Mooroolbark	5	0	1	4	4	11	1
Doveton	4	0	0	4	5	14	0
Sunbury Utd	4	0	0	4	6	16	0

Greensborough WITHDRAWN

INDUSTRIAL & AMATEUR SOCCER LEAGUE OF VICTORIA

DIVISION 1: Bowater Scott v Tarax Seniors 1-2, Reserves 0-3; Mako H Preston v Bosch Dynamo 0-5; 0-4; Middle Park VRI v Ansett 1-0; 1-0, Public Works v Colyer Watson 0-2; 0-0. Stone Platt v Split Auto Repairs 0-0; 1-4.

DIVISION 2: ANZ Bank 3 v TAA 2; Clifton Hill YCW 2 v Hedges Dynamo 2; J. M Welders 1 v Diecraft 4; Lysaght 1 v Altona Henden CW 1; Philip Morris 0 v Waverley Wanderers 3.

DIVISION 3 EAST: De La Sale 3 v CBC Bank 2 abandoned; Fibremakers Utd 2 v Fibre Containers 2; Olex Cables 2 v Riversdale 0; Tarax B 3 v SCOT 0; The Age 0 v Micron 1.

DIVISION 3 WEST: Altona Melita Catering 0 v Doxa United 1; Colvan 0 v Epping Thistle 4; Florina United 4 v Footscray City 2; LETS 1 v Rowntree Hoadley 3; Taxation Utd 1 v Aquila Steel 3.

DIVISION 4 EAST: Rheem Clayton 4 v Rowville Utd 1; Salesian Coll OB 2 v Fibremakers Utd B 2; Scoresby Utd 9 v De La Salle B 1; SCOT B 0 v Intercity 6; Waverley Wanderers B 3 v Visy Board 1.

DIVISION 4 NORTH: Dallas United v Collingwood Utd abandoned; RAAF Frognall 4 v Coles 6; Rowville Utd B 1 v ANZ Bank B 1; TAA B 0 v Highpoint 8; West United B v Gascor United, postponed.

DIVISION 4 WEST: AGCF 7 v West Footscray 1; Altona North 3 v West United 0; Hedges Dynamo B 1 v Rheem Brooklyn 3; Leeco Holdings 4 v Altona Broadway 1.

DIV. 1

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Split Auto	6	5	1	0	18	4	11
Tarax	6	5	0	1	23	9	10
Bosch Dyn	6	3	2	1	12	5	8
Ansett	6	3	1	2	13	8	7
Colyer Wat.	6	3	0	3	9	10	7
Bowater Sc	6	2	2	2	12	9	6
Public Wks	6	2	0	4	9	14	4
Mako Held	6	1	1	4	9	17	3
Stone Platt	6	1	1	4	8	21	3
Middle Pk Vri	6	1	0	5	4	19	2

DIV. 2

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Hedges Dyn	6	4	2	0	20	5	10
Clifton Hill	6	3	3	0	20	5	9
Waverley W	6	3	2	1	13	13	8
ANZ Bank	6	3	1	2	13	10	7
T.A.A.	6	2	3	1	10	11	7
J. M. Welding	5	2	1	2	8	12	5
Altona Kinden	6	1	2	3	12	11	4
Lysaght	5	1	2	2	5	12	4
Diecraft	6	1	1	4	8	19	3
Philip Morris	6	0	1	5	5	16	1

DIV. 3 EAST

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Riversdale	6	4	1	1	19	7	9
Tarax 'B'	6	3	2	1	12	6	8
Micron	6	4	0	2	10	6	8
Olex Cables	6	3	1	2	10	8	7
C.B.C. Bank	5	2	2	1	15	9	6
Fibremakers	6	2	2	2	6	8	6
The Age	6	2	1	3	12	14	5
Fibre Cont.	6	2	1	3	10	17	5
De La Salle	5	2	0	3	10	18	4
S.C.O.T.	6	0	0	6	5	20	0

DIV. 3 WEST

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Doxa Un.	6	5	1	0	18	8	11
Epping Thistle	6	4	2	0	13	3	10
Altona Mel.	6	4	0	2	19	8	8
Rowntree Hos.	6	3	2	1	11	6	8
Footscray C.	6	4	0	2	13	9	8
Aquila Steel	6	3	1	2	13	9	7
Florina Un.	6	1	2	3	12	18	4
L.E.T.S.	6	0	1	5	4	20	1
Taxation Un.	6	0	0	6	1	16	0

DIV. 4 EAST

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Rheem Clayton	6	6	0	0	34	6	12
Scoresby Un.	6	5	0	1	37	9	10
Rowville Un.	6	4	1	1	20	8	9
Waverley W. B	6	3	0	3	15	10	6
Intercity	6	2	1	3	13	12	5
Fibremakers B	6	2	1	3	9	18	5
S.C.O.T. B	6	2	0	4	10	40	4
Visyboard	6	2	0	4	11	18	4
Salesian Coll. OB	6	1	1	4	12	20	3
De La Salle B	6	1	0	5	7	28	2

DIV. 4 NORTH

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Highpoint	6	3	3	0	17	5	9
Dallesl	5	3	2	0	13	6	8
Collingwood	5	3	1	1	11	4	7
RAAF Frognall	6	3	1	2	21	15	7
TAA B	6	3	0	3	10	18	6
West Un B	4	2	1	1	10	6	5
Gascor Un.	5	2	1	2	10	8	5
Coles	6	1	1	4	10	14	3
ANZ Bank B	5	1	1	3	3	8	3
Rowville B	6	0	1	5	7	24	1

Our reader's picture this week has been submitted by Jim Katsaros of 177 Collins Street, Thornbury, Vic.

It shows Branko Buljevic raising both arms above his head in glee after having scored for South Melbourne Hellas against Adelaide City. Buljevic's team mate George Campbell points to the centre, and Adelaide's David Jones (striped) is about to clasp his head in despair. Goalkeeper Peter Marshall (left) is stranded and sweeper John Perin is down and out.

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ZIKA NIKOLIC

PORAZ KOJI ZABRINJAVA

J.U.S.T. je doživeo malu katastrofu u Sidneyju pritiv Blacktowna, koji se naglo oporavlja. Povreda Mirka Rujevica stvorila je niz problema i promena, koje su negativno uticale na ritam igra. Navala je opet postala Ahilova peta. Protivnici su uočili da je Zdravko Lujic nosioc svih napada, pa su se potrudili da ga blokiraju i odseku od ostalih igraca. Na zalost JUST nema vise izrazitih navalnih igraca. Vasic po neki put iznenadi, ali se prvi pokoleba kada podju kola nizbrdo.

Josip Pocioane je napravio jednu pogresku, koja je kostala "plave" jedan gol. Medjutim, njegoval promena kostala je mnogo vise, jer je JUST izgubio kontrolu sredine i jednog vrsnog pucaca.

I pored poraza JUST je zadrzao sesto mesto, za koje se mora boriti upornije i sa vise odusevljenja. Jos jedan poraz moze strmoglaviti "plave" na dno tabele.

PONOVO NA WESTERN OVAL

Iduci protivnik je Leichhardt APIA iz Sidneja, koja se isto tako popravila i grabi prema vrhu tabele. PLAVI moraju zapeti iz petnih zila da povrate poljuljani ugled. Na srecu susret se odrzava na Western Ovalu, gde je JUST imao dva izvanredna nastupa i osvojio sva cetiri boda. Povratak na ovaj kontroverzijalni stadion bice veliki moralni postrek i obaveza za sve igrace.

U sredu 28. maja JUST ce odigrati trening utakmicu na Ross Reserve u Springvalu protiv nogometnih veterana, koje ce predvoditi poznati asovi Frank Micic, Ibro Haziabdic, Andrew Kazi, Slobodan Lukuc, Tom Stankovic i drugi. Bice to prava poslastica za sve igrace i publiku, tako da ce biti bacen u zaborav poraz u Blacktownu.

MAKEDONIJA POPUSTA

Neresen rezultat sa Altonom je ravan porazu, pogotovu kad je Makedonija vec vodila sa 2:0 i nadigrala protivnika u prvom poluvremenu. Stara bolest, koja je prosle godine skupo kostala Makedoniju, ponovo se vraca. Igra se dobro samo u pocetku, ali cim Makedonija postigne par golova igraci se odmaraju na lovorikama i dozvole protivniku da preuzme inicijativu. Bez Cummingsa Croatia je sretno izvukla bod od Frankstona, koji je vodio skoro do pred kraj utakmice.

OSTALI REZULTATI

RINGWOOD — ALTONA GATE 3:0 (2:0). Altona Gate se zali na sudiju, protiv koga je podnela zalbu savezu. Medjutim, glavni problem je navala, koja pokoleba ceo tim, jer ne uspeva da iskoristi brojne sanse gotovo na svakoj utakmici. Povreda Bozinovskog je teza nego sto se ocekivalo i njegovo odsustvo je primetno. Nesto mora da se uradi dok ima vremena, jer je se pred kraj prvenstva Altona Gate moze naci u bezizlaznom polozaju. U predigri je rezerva pobedila sa 1:0 (1:0).

J.U.S.T. — PORT MELBOURNE :2 (3:1). Povratak Ivice Karica mnogo je znacio za odbranu, ali je i navala osetila korist od njegovih dugih pasova, idealnih za kontra-napade. Tom Vokuvic je zbog povrede pauzirao godinu dana, ali je ipak pokazao kvalitet rasnog napadaca, sto danas nedostaje "plavima". Seriju golova je otvorio Dusko Atanasovski lepim golom iz guzve. Ostali golovi su isto tako bili lepi i plod idealnih akcija. Suiejman Curovic je povisio na 2:1, Ljube Talevski na 3:1, Tom Vokuvic na 4:2 i Pavle Simic na 5:2. Rezerva je izgubila sa 2:0, iako je stalno igrala pred protivnickim golom. Samo jedan protivnapad u 80. minutu zavrsio se sa loptom u "plavoj" mrezi!

CARLTON/SRBIJA — CENTRAL ALTONA/SLOGA 1:1 (1:1). Zanimljiva i na memente gruba igra zavrsila se neresenim rezultatom. Srbija je povela u 5. minutu preko Zarka Pejkovica, ali je Ljube Ilijevski iz jednacio u 11. minutu. Oba tima nisu iskoristili jedan penal. Ljube Ilijevski je sa 11 metara pogodio precku, a Jimmy Milosavljevic je pred kraj igre sutirao visoko preko gola. Zute kartone su dobili: Ljuba Stojanovic i Milan Cvijic iz Srbije, P. Stojanovski, Lj. Ivanovski i P. Ristevski iz Sloge. P. Ristevski je dobio i crveni karton u 84. minutu. Rezerve su takodje igrale nereseno 2:2 (0:1). Strelci: Vlasta Cekic i Miroslav Tudzarov za Srbiju.

ALTONA UNITED/VOJVODINA — CHELTENHAM 0:4. Dok se je Vojvodina snasla, protivnik je brzom igrom postigao sta je zeleo. Grogiranu Vojvodinu spasili su od tezeg poraza Jovan Cankovic i George Beianji, dok su svi ostali igrali slabo. Rwezerva je pobedila sa 3:0. Strelci: Andy Kotvas 2 i Alex Heal.

PARKMORE/HAJDUK — VARDAR 1:0 (0:0). Domaci tim je bio bolji i zasluzeno pobedio sa 1:0 golom M. Semblera u 75. minutu. Zadnjih 10 minuta Vardar je mogao da izjednaci, jer je imao tri zrele sanse, ali Drago Cvetanovski, Peco Markovski i Mile Nedeljovski nisu imali srece. Iduce nedelje Vardar igra za kup protiv Albania United.

PARKMORE/PLAVI DUNAV — BATMAN UNITED 1:0 (1:0). Dugo ocekivana pobeda dosla je u pravo vreme. "Plavi Dunav" je bio mnogo bolji i zasluzio vecu pobedu, ali goste je spasla dva puta precka i jedanput stativa. Jedini gol je postigao Sandor Varga u 41. minutu. Rezerva je izgubila sa 1:4 (0:3). Strelac: Istvan Makai Senior u 78. minutu iz penala.

TARAX — BOWATER SCOTT 2:1 (0:1). Protivnik je inzenadio Taraxa, ali je posle odmora ulazak povredjenog Slobodana Lukica bio odlucijuca prekretnica. Strelci: Tim Bikicki i Steva Kosovac za Tarax.

TRISTEZA RIOPLATENSE PERDIERON LOS DOS .... CHAVELES Y MOROCHOS .... OLE

PELIGRO DE GOOOLLL

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WELCOME MOROCHOS ..... OTRA VEZ EL BUEN FUTBOL

Burnley 4 Banksia 1

Con los gritos y aplusos del otro domingo resonando en el aire los CHAVALES llegan a un compromiso fortalecidos y dispuestos a seguir en la se da de los triunfos y asi fue ganaron y bien, dejando para nosotros la satisfaccion de no equivocarnos. LOS CHAVALES...VALEN DE VERDAD.

BURNLEY S.C.: FOY-F.CALLE-SAAVEDRA-GUIMAREY-LOCKLEY-PINAS-HERNANDO-ORTIZ-PIETRALUNGA-J.CALLE-PIETRALUNGA.

Los primeros minutos mostraron a dos equipos veloces y aguerridos. El unico gol del BANKSIA lo marcan en el primer tiempo y dejan la impresion de se han de agrupa atras y dejaran correr los minutos.

Pero en la segunda parte aparece el espiritu, las ganas de ganar y concretan y rapidamente un dominio que marca el camino.

LOS GOLES- 1) MARIANO"HURACAN" SAZ. 2) Penalty FRANK CALLE-3)PIETRALUNGA y 4) Otra vez MARIANO SAZ.

La actuacion del"ZORRA" FOIS, fue para dar tranquilidad al equipo de muy buen nivel y ahora la defensa esta segura, porteros de aptitudes no abundan.

En lines generales LOS CHAVALES van buscando un nivel que estara a prueba dentro de quince dias cuando se enfrenten a sus primos GAUCHO. Todavia no se sabe donde se efectuara el partido pero, es posible que sea en el mismo escenario de SAINT ALBANS con las maximas garantias para una fiesta del deporte.

South Oakleigh 0 Hotham United 1

Cuando por ultimo se logro ubicar el campo donde se jugo el partido, los hinchas Chilenos recibieron la gran sorpresa. LOS MOROWHOS jugaron un muy buen partido y ganaron bien. Lo que deseamos es que se siga en el camino.

HOTHAM UNITED- ROJAS-ELIZER-FUENTEALBA-FLORES-LEIVA-JARA-RUBIO-NILO CARDONE-CETINICH-LOPEZ.

Todos llegaron a este compromiso bastante preocupados el SOUTH OAKLEIG es el mejor equipo de la division, eso era lo que se decia, pero en los papeles, y ante el toque y el buen juego del visitante no fueron mas, que un equipo sin ideas que se perdio tratando de igualar un partido que merecieron perder por mas goles.

Muy buen medio campo desde el comienzo para los MOROCHOS. La terna JARA-LEIVA-RUBIO, un retorno esperado, hicieron que esa zona donde los jugadores sudamericanos definen los partidos fuera CHILENA la mayoria del encuentro. La vuelta tambien de CHICHO LOPEZ, ese gran numero once, dio penetracion a una delantera que no es mas la soledad de CARDONE. Y asi se gano. Jugando, tocando y llegando, como lo prueba el golazo de PEPE LAIVA.

JOE DEGUARA estara satisfecho, porque sus planes han llegado a concretarse. La vuelta de todos los titulares les da a los MOROCHOS la seguridad de presentar un gran equipo. Solo falta CHICO ANDRADE y entonces sera cosa de no perderse un partido.

Yarraville 5 West Melbourne 0

Y la preocupacion de JORGE CAUDILLO CALOMINO se cristalizo, lamentablemente. No habia en todo el campo de juego una sola posibilidad de ganar este partido para los GAUCHOS despues del primer gol del YARRAVILLE. Perdieron jugando muy mal, frente a un equipo que jugo muy bien.

WEST MELBOURNE S.C. CISTERNA-GARCIA-NAVARRO-MOYANO-MONTES-RUIZ-DITTO-SARCO-BRZZIO-REPOJOS-CALOMINO.

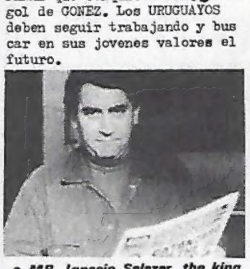
El YARAVILLE espero durante los primeros 15 minutos a un equipo que por fama y colocacion en la tabla es siempre temido. El partido pudo ser otro si las dos magnificas jugadas de los GAUCHOS que no se concretaron por easas cosas del futbol hubieran sido gol. Pero la suerte que otras veces acompano a los GAUCHOS no se dio y dejo el margen para que el D.T. griego TAKIS, que sabe mucho y dirigio muy bien a su equipo hiciera los justo. Ahogar la salida criolla y moverse en todo el campo. La velocidad y el pelotazo largo fueron mortales para que dos jugadores de grah calidad los numeros 9 y 10 y en el fondo el numero 6 marcaran el camino a un triunfo sin atenuantes. Los goles, golazos, en el segundo, posiblemente CISTERNA se demoro, las pelotas en el area chica son del arquero dicen los libros. Para destacar el espiritu de lucha en el segundo tiempo a pesar de la goleada. Buen partido de GARCIA y RUIZ en el primer tiempo.PACHECO e HIMSWORTH aportaron lo suyo.

Central Brunswick 3 West Brunswick 2

El encuentro de argentinos y uruguayos el domingo a la noche era para consolarse. Los CHARRUAS perdian 3 a 0 cuando faltaban 5 minutos para terminar y terminan 3 a 2. Imposible de creer. Mucho Publico y una conviccion, se debe seguir trabajando en la semana.

WEST BRUNSWICK- LOYOLA-VEZZOSO-SYLVEYRA-GRANDE-NIN-SALVO-GONEZ-LA GRECA-OSCAR SUAREZ-BILOTTA-PIANCATELLI-(DOS SANTOS).

Desde el comienzo se vio que los CHARRUAS tendriam problemas con un "campo" enorme. Aunque parezca mentira, las medidas se las habrian dado para una cancha de polo, en fin cosas de Australia. Se entregan dos goles "zonzos" de esos que estos equipos que no saben no perdonan. Luego se debio correr todo el partido para llegar faltando 5 minutos a obtener dos goles. PENAL que conquista SALVO Y gol de GONEZ. Los URUGUAYOS deben seguir trabajando y buscar en sus jovenes valores el futuro.



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ARGENTINA 5-1

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Upsets in Ampol Cup

Tasmanian report
by Reg Tolputt and David Martin

Among several upsets in the second round of the Ampol Cup, Launceston Olympic beat Eastern Suburbs 3-2 after extra time.

Olympic had the edge in this game and even missed two penalties but finally won through in extra time.

Launceston United who last year were in the State League, proved too experienced for Dnipro and won 2-0.

Yaroona were lucky to lose only 2-1 to Pheonix who have won only once this season and Hobart Azzurri went down 2-1 to Launceston side St Leonard's, while up at Rosebery the miners were really taken apart by Olympia Hobart 6-1.

In the final game played on Sunday, Metro defeated South Hobart 3-2 after a hard, fast and physical game which saw McInntyre of Metro taken to hospital in the 12th minute.

Launceston Olympic, United and St Leonards Rovers plus Hobart's Olympia, Pheonix and Metro all go through to the next round along with the 10 State League Clubs. The draw takes place tonight (Wed) at 7.30.

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Tasmanian soccer circles were rocked by the news that Roger Marlow, the man many called "Mr Soccer" in Tasmania and who was Secretary of the Tasmanian Soccer Association, Secretary of the State Body and Stage League manager, had resigned. Roger, an Englishman has had a lot to do with moulding the professional attitude towards administration and will be missed. He leaves on October 31.

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RADIO RENTALS STATE LEAGUE

RESULTS: Burnie Utd 0-2 Georgetown, Croatia Glenorchy 6-1 Hobart Juventus; Launceston Juventus 2-0 Devonport; Ulverstone 1-6 Rapid Wrest Pt; Brighton ICL 7-1 White Eagles.

	R	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Rapid Wrest Pt	8	6	2	0	34	13	14
Croatia Glenorchy	8	6	1		28	11	13
Brighton ICL	6	5	1	0	21	4	11
Georgetown	7	4	1	2	19	13	9
Burnie Utd	8	4	0	4	18	18	8
Devonport	7	3	2	3	13	14	8
Launceston Juventus	8	1	1	6	11	23	3
White Eagles	7	1	1	5	14	30	2
Hobart Juventus	8	1	0	5	7	20	2
Ulverstone	7	0	1	6	9	21	1

BRIGHTON ICL 7, WHITE EAGLES 1

Brighton ICL, playing their first state league game for almost three weeks, found themselves under a great deal of pressure for the first 30 mins.

It wasn't until the 26th minute, when Charlton's misjudged back-pass went over goalkeeper Harrison's head to put them a goal down, that they resembled the side that had dropped only one point so far this season.

Four mins before half-time Brighton ICL equalised with a well-taken goal by Banagan who scored with his back to the goal.

They went to the lead through Parker capitalising on a Hales shot that keeper Zotos failed to hold.

In the second half, three goals in two minutes by Parker and Foster killed any hopes of White Eagles getting back into the match.

Then Parker completed his hat-trick when Hales dissected two White Eagles defenders with his cross.

Further goals by Banagan and Parker made the final score 7-1. Harrison, Banagan, Conlon and Hales were best for Brighton ICL, White, Heap, Worden and Collins were best for White Eagles.

CROATIA GLENORCHY 6, HOBART JUVENTUS 1

Croatia Glenorchy kept the pressure on Rapid Wrest Pt and Brighton ICL with this big win.

They took the lead after only nine minutes when Davidson took advantage of a mistake made by Jones who failed to hold onto a Huigsloot header, and it was Huigsloot again who caused Juventus all sorts of problems when he scored high above the defence with a powerful header to score in the 27th minute.

Only 45 seconds into the second half Ferracio pulled one back for Juventus with a penalty after Trueman had handled in the penalty area, and they came close to equalising, but substitute Iqbal's shot soared inches over the bar.

One of the best engineered goals of the season — Davidson ran to Thomas's cross, drawing two players with trim, dummied the ball and left Groat to score an easy goal — made it 3-1 to Croatia. The home team were now in total command, and further goals by Davidson Spaleta and a good individual goal by Thomas, made the final score 6-1, a result which leaves Hobart Juventus in deep trouble in the relegation zone of the Radio Rentals State League, especially as they had De Martino sent off for allegedly swearing at the referee.

ULVERSTONE 1, RAPID WREST POINT 6.

Rapid Wrest Pt stayed at the top of the Radio Rentals State League by completely outplaying Ulverstone.

The depth and variety of last years premiers is evident by the number of last years players who appear on the scoresheet. At least eight different players have contributed to the highest scoring team in the league S. Kannegeiser (2), Southworth (2), Morton, and Smith were this week's goalscorers, while Hamilton scored for Ulverstone.

Rapid Wrest Pt play second placed Croatia Glenorchy at South Hobart next week, a game that neither team can afford to lose.

ΤΑ ΝΕΑ ΤΩΝ ΟΜΑΔΩΝ ΜΑΣ ΑΠΟ ΤΟ ΣΗΜΕΙΟ ΤΟΥ ΠΕΝΑΛΤΥ

ΠΑΡΑΙΤΗΘΗΚΕ ὁ Σέντο Σίρκοβιτς ἀπό τήν ΕΛΛΑΣ Μελβούρνης.
Ὡς γνωστόν ὁ γιουγκοσλάβος προπονητής εἶχε ἀναλάβει ὅλες τίς μικρές ὁμάδες τῆς κυανολεύκου μέ τήν προϋπόθεση ὅτι θά εὕρισκε νέο ταλέντο.
Στό μικρό διάστημα πού βρέθηκε στήν Ἑλλάς φυσικόν ἦταν ὅτι δέν πρόφθασε νά δείξει τήν δουλειά του. Πιεζόταν ὅμως ἀπό τήν διοίκηση τοῦ ἑλληνικοῦ σωματείου γιά ταλέντα.
Μιλήσαμε μέ τόν Σέντο Σίρκοβιτς γιά τό θέμα αὐτό ὁ ὁποῖος ἀπέφυγε νά κάνει δηλώσεις πλήν ὅμως μᾶς εἶπε: " Φαίνεται ὅτι ὁ κ. Παπασάββας ζητοῦσε μάγο κι'ὄχι προπονητή ".
Αὐτό ὅμως πού μάθαμε ἀπό τούς φιλάθλους, εἶναι ὅτι ὁ Σίρκοβιτς πού προσελήφθει μέ μισθό 250 δολλάρια τήν ἑβδομάδα ἀπό κορυφαῖο παράγοντα τῆς ΕΛΛΑΣ, ἔγινε ὁ στόχος τοῦ ὑπολοίπου Δ. Συμβουλίου γιατί τά λεπτά πού ἐλάμβανε ἦταν πάρα πολλά.
Συγκεκριμένα πρίν λίγες ἡμέρες παράγων τῆς ΕΛΛΑΣ μᾶς εἶπε: " Ἦταν λάθος ἡ πρόσληψη τοῦ Σίρκοβιτς ὄχι γιατί δέν ἀξίζει ὁ ἄνθρωπος ἀλλά γιατί τά λεπτά πού τοῦ δίναμε ἦταν πολλά. Δέν ἦταν δυνατόν νά τοῦ δίνουμε τά λεπτά αὐτά ἐπειδή τό ἀπεφάσισε ἕνας ἀπό ἐμᾶς ".
Ἔτσι λοιπόν τίς βεβιασμένες ἀποφάσεις τοῦ ἀνθρώπου ἢ τῶν ἀνθρώπων τῆς ΕΛΛΑΣ τίς πλήρωσε ὁ τεχνικός.
Ἀλλά στό θέμα αὐτό θά ἐπανέλθουμε καί πάλι.

ΜΕ ΠΟΛΛΟΥΣ νέους παίκτες ἡ Ν.ΕΛΛΑΣ καί μέ χάρτινη ἄμυνα ἔχασε ἐκτός ἕδρας ἀπό τήν Τζέστ Β' μέ 5–2.
Στό Α' μέρος ἡ γηπεδοῦχος προηγήθηκε μέ 3–1 γιά νά σημειώσει στήν ἐπανάληψη ἄλλα δύο τέρματα.
Καί τά πέντε τέρματα πού δέχθηκε ἡ Ἑλληνική ὁμάδα ἦταν ἀπό βασικά σφάλματα τῶν ἀμυντικῶν της παικτῶν.
Τά δύο γκόλ τῆς Ν.ΕΛΛΑΣ πέτυχαν οἱ Φερέτης καί Εὐαγγελίδης.
Ἀπό τήν ὁμάδα τοῦ Πόρτ Μέλμπουρν προσπάθησαν οἱ Φερέτης, Γεμβρίλης, Ν.Τυρίκος ἐνῶ καλές ἐντυπώσεις ἄφησε ὁ νεαρός σέντερ φόρ Κώστας Σταυρίδης. Γιά κανένα ἀπό τά πέντε γκόλ δέν εὐθύνεται ὁ γκολκήπερ Καραμούζης.
Σωστός ὁ διαιτητής κ. V.DIBLASI.

ΣΥΜΦΩΝΑ μέ παράγοντες τῆς Ν.ΕΛΛΑΣ ἐντός τῶν ἡμερῶν θά ἀποκτηθεῖ ἀπό τόν Πανελλήνιο μέ τόν ὁποῖον ἀνοίγονται νέες σχέσεις ὁ Στράτος Ἀνταμτζίκης.
Ἐπίσης θά ἐπανέλθουν στήν ἐνδεκάδα οἱ Τριανταφυλλίδης καί Ο'Τούλ οἱ ὁποῖοι ἦταν τιμωρημένοι ἀπό τήν Ὁμοσπονδία.

Η Β' ὁμάδα τῆς Ν.ΕΛΛΑΣ νίκησε τήν ἀντίστοιχη τῆς Τζέστ μέ 1–0.
Τό τέρμα πέτυχε ὁ Στήβ Βασιλάκης.
Η ΕΛΛΑΣ ἦταν φανταστική στόν ἀγῶνα μέ τό Μαρκόνι καί δίκαια πῆρε τήν μεγάλη νίκη πού τήν ἄξιζε πέρα γιά πέρα.
Η ταξιαρχία τοῦ Γιαννέλου ἔδειξε πλέον ὅτι εἶναι ὁμάδα μέ προσωπικότητα. Οἱ 7.000 χιλιάδες καί πλέον φίλαθλοι πού βρέθηκαν στό Μίντλ Πάρκ θά θυμοῦνται γιά πολύ τήν συνάντηση αὐτή.

ΤΕΛΙΚΑ οἱ καλλιτέχνες κέρδισαν καί στόν δεύτερον ἀγῶνα μέ 3–2 τούς δημοσιογράφους καί ἀναδείχθηκαν νικητές τοῦ τουρνουά πού ἦταν στά πλαίσια τῆς Ἑλληνικῆς Ἑβδομάδας 1980.
Ο ἀγών ἔγινε πρό τῆς συνάντησης τῆς ΕΛΛΑΣ μέ τό Μαρκόνι καί παρουσίασε ξέχωρο ἐνδιαφέρον.
Πολλοί ἀπό τούς δημοσιογράφους καί ἀπό τούς καλλιτέχνες ἔδειξαν πῶς γνωρίζουν τά μυστικά τῆς μπάλλας καί πολλοί πιάστηκαν ἀπό τό τρέξιμο καί εἶναι ἀμφίβολο ἄν θά ἔχουν πάει μέχρι σήμερα στίς δουλειές τους.
Γιά τούς καλλιτέχνες τά γκόλ πέτυχαν οἱ Φειδογιάννης 2, καί Μπαμπανιώτης.
Ἀπό τούς δημοσιογράφους σκόραρισαν οἱ Μήλιος καί Γιάννης Σκέλκος ὁ ὁποῖος ἦλθε ἀπό τό Σύδνεϋ γιά τόν ἀγῶνα αὐτόν.
Τό μόνο κακό τῆς διοργάνωσης ἦταν τό ὅτι οἱ ὑπεύθυνοι τῆς Ἑλλάς σταμάτησαν τό μάτς στό 18' τοῦ Β' ἡμιχρόνου κάτι πού ἀνάγκασε τουλάχιστον τούς δημοσιογράφους νά τό σκεφθοῦν πολύ ἄν θά ξαναδώσουν τό παρόν ὅταν τούς ζητηθεῖ ἀπό τήν Ἑλλάς.

ΕΠΙΣΗΣ κάποιος κύριος ἀπό αὐτούς πού φοράνε τίς λευκές ρόμπες καί εἶναι μέσα στόν ἀγωνιστικό χῶρο, ἐπέμενε νά σταματήσει ὁ ἀγώνας καί πρίν τό 18' λεπτό.
Σέ ἐρώτηση πού τοῦ ἔκανε ὁ συνάδελφος Ἠλίας Ντωνοβάνης γιατί ἡ τόση ἐπιμονή του, τοῦ ἀπήντησε ἀπρεπῶς καί τοῦ εἶπε " νά μή τόν ρωτάει πολλά γιατί τοῦ ζαλίζει..../.τό ὑπόλοιπο λυπούμεθα ἀλλά δέν γράφεται/.
ΔΕΝ παίζει ρόλο ἄν ὁ ἀγών σταμάτησε πιό νωρίς ἢ ὄχι ἄλλωστε δέν χάθηκε κανένα παγκόσμιο κύπελλο. Στήν προκειμένη περίπτωση ὅμως θά θέλαμε νά συστήσουμε καί πάλι στούς διοικοῦντες τῆς Ἑλλάς νά μή βάζουν πλέον τόν ὁποιοδήποτε ἄσχετο γιά νά κάνει κουμάντο γιά λογαριασμό τοῦ ἱστορικοῦ κυανόλευκου σωματείου.

ΟΙ ΣΥΝΘΕΣΕΙΣ: Καλλιτέχνες: Δραγώνας, Κοκκολάρας, Πρετάρης, Μουρκάκος, Μ.Διγνός, Βαφειάδης, Σοφιανόπουλος, Ζερκάδας, Θ.Φειδογιάννης, Μπαμπανιώτης, Σ.Φειδογιάννης, Σικελιός καί Β.Διγνός.
Δημοσιογράφοι: Ντωνοβάνης, Σουώμπ, Κατηφόρης, Μήλιος, Νικολόπουλος, Λαγοβλής, Χατζημανώλης, Γκουλιόβας, Μπακατσούλας, Γ.Σκέλκος, Κιτσάκης/Σταυρόπουλος, Μεταλλινός, Πέρης, Μοντέζ, Γιώργος Σκέλκος/
ΜΕΤΑ τήν συνάντηση ὁ διευθυντής τῆς Ἐθνικῆς τραπέζης τῆς Ἑλλάδας ἀπένειμε ἀναμνηστικά ἔπαθλα σέ ὅλους ὅσους ἀγωνίσθηκαν.
Γιά τήν ἱστορία διακρίθησαν οἱ ἐξῆς: Δραγώνας, Βαφειάδης καί οἱ ἀδελφοί Φειδογιάννη ἀπό τούς νικητές.
Ἀπό τούς δημοσιογράφους ξεχώρισαν οἱ Μήλιος, Νικολόπουλος, Λαγοβλής, Κατηφόρης καί Χατζημανώλης.
Ἐπίσης ὁ αἴλουρος γκολκήπερ Ντωνοβάνης δέν φέρει εὐθύνη γιά τά γκόλ πού δέχθηκε.

" FROM THE PENALTY SPOT "

MONEY MAGIC
with Michael Morley

Several Victorian clubs have made an excellent start to the season and they're worth noting on this week's pools list. Morwell Falcons, Frankston Pines and Mornington, respectively in divisions two, three and four, have each scored 11 points from their first six matches.

These teams are at home this week and on current form they look assured of victory.

They're worth noting if only to eliminate them from the match list before making your score draw selections.

Other teams that look good on their own grounds for this week's matches are Bell Park, Inglewood, University, Noarlunga U. and Taranga.

I have no hesitation in descarding these clubs for this week's games as they all look much too strong for the opposition.

Each of the ten divisions on the match list has some tricky looking games from a forecasting point of view and I've taken one or more matches from each division for my socre draw selections.

This week I'm putting 18 games into a planned entry and for anyone who is interested in the pools mechanics of this number — there are 43,758 combinations of 8 from 18. There are many ways in which we can reduce this number of combinations and perhaps one of the best methods is to bank on a few of our selections.

With a little luck from your best matches you could be in with a good chance of success. Even if you miss out on a first or second dividend — with this type of entry you could still land yourself a good number of minor prizes.

As mentioned, my planned entry for this week covers 18 matches, if you would like to try this bet I have left a blank line in the diagram for your selections. It will involve 8 entries of system 11 and at 50 cents each the investment is $4.00.

Choose your 18 matches and then reading from left to right put your best four selections in the first four spaces in the diagram.

It doesn't matter in what order youplace your other selections. When you have entered all your matches on the blank line use the corresponding X's as set out in the diagram as you transfer your match numbers on to the entry forms.

- With eight score draws in any one of the eight system entries you would be assured of a first dividend.
- If three of your best four selections are score draws and you have a further seven score draws falling anywhere among your other matches you would be certain of having at least seven score draws in four lines of the entry.

Until next week, good luck and good punting.

18 MATCH PLAN

7	18	34	45	1	11	21	23	24	29	30	37	40	41	43	48	49	52
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SELECTIONS

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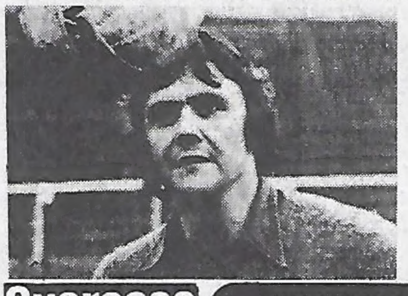
VIC.DIV.1	ALTONA GATE	SPRINGVALE	1	X
	BOX HILL	KEILOR	2	/3
	DOVETON	MORELAND	3	/
	RICHMOND	RINGWOOD C.	4	/3
VIC.DIV.2	BELL PARK	KNOX CITY	5	/
	HEIDELBERG U.	ARDEER	6	/
	MELBOURNE	FOOTSCRAY	7	X
	MORWELL	S. MELBOURNE	8	/
	PT. MELBOURNE	PK. RANGERS	9	/3
	WAVERLEY	DONCASTER	10	/
VIC.DIV.3	COBURG	RINGWOOD U.	11	X
	FERNTREE	BROADM'DOWS	12	/3
	FRANKSTON P.	YALLOURN	13	/
	HEIDELBERG	ELTHAM	14	/3
	PRAHRAN	CHELSEA	15	/
	ST. ALBANS	FAWKNER	16	/3
VIC.DIV.4	CAULFIELD C.	CORIO	17	/3
	KEYSBORO'	MOORABBIN	18	X
	MONASH	MOOROOLBARK	19	/
	MORNINGTON	NUNAWADING	20	/
	SANDRINGHAM	N. DANDENONG	21	X
	WERRIBEE	BRIGHTON	22	/
W.A. State League	ATHENA	WEST PERTH	23	X
	AZZURRI	SPEARWOOD	24	X
	E. FREMANTLE	STIRLING C.	25	/
	INGLEWOOD	FORRESTF'LD	26	/
	KINGSWAY	GOSNELLS	27	/
W.A. Div.2	BAYSWATER	KWINANA	28	/3
	CANNING	WINDMILLS	29	X
	COCKBURN	ROCKINGHAM	30	X
	EAST PERTH	BASSENDEAN	31	/
	KELMSCOTT	OSBORNE PK.	32	/
	MELVILLE	NORTH PERTH	33	/2
W.A. Div. 3	GRAYLANDS	PERTH CITY	34	X
	ROSEMOUNT	SWAN ATH.	35	/3
	SUBIACO	QUEENS PK.	36	/
	TUART HILL	SORRENTO	37	X
	UNIVERSITY	BEDFORD U.	38	/
	WANNEROO	BALGA	39	/3
S.A. State League	AZZURRI	PT. ADELAIDE	40	X
	ELIZABETH	CUMBERLAND	41	X
	PARA HILLS	CAMPB'LTOWN	42	/
	POLONIA	BEOGRAD	43	X
	VICTORIA	CROATIA	44	/3
S.A. Div. 2	BRIGHTON CTY.	W. ADELAIDE	45	X
	LION	DON	46	/
	NOARLUNGA U.	WINDSOR	47	/
	SALISBURY	MODBURY	48	X
	WEST FIELDS	ADELAIDE C.	49	X
	W. TORRENS	WHYALLA	50	X
Qld. Div. 1	ACACIA RIDGE	SUNNYSIDE	51	/3
	DARRA	MITCHELTON	52	X
	MERTON	ANNERLEY	53	/
	NTH. BRISBANE	TRIDENT	54	/3
	TARINGA	SOUTHS UTD.	55	/



IRISH STAR AVAILABLE

Barry Murphy, 21, the centre half of St Patrick's Athletic in the League of Ireland, wants to play in Melbourne.

Murphy, 6ft 2ins had a trial with Derby County last year and is being watched closely by Blackpool and Glasgow Celtic.

He was nominated as "Young Player of the Year" in Ireland and played in two Cup finals this year — the League Cup and the FAI Cup.

St Patrick's missed out on a place in Europe by losing the FAI Cup final 0-1 to Waterford.

Clubs interested in Murphy should contact David Stokes on Melbourne 64 0661 ext 375 (work) or 311 2704 (home).

Overseas results

GREECE

Kastoria won the Greek Cup by beating Iraklis 5-2 (halftime 1-1) in the final.

Scoeres — Kastoria: Papadopoulos (own goal 40th minute), Vitsikos (48), Tsironis (68, 88 and penalty at the 90th).

Iraklis: Kalampakas (penalty 16), and Mavrodoulakis (80). Attendance 20,000

YGUOSLAVIA

Hajduk 2, Radnicki 3, Zeljeznicar 2, Celik 0, Vojvodina 1, Napredak 0, Olimpija 0, Rijeka 1, Velez 1, Sarajevo 2, Borac 1, Partizan 0, Sloboda 1. Osikej 0.

Red Star	27	16	6	5	43	22	38
Sarajevo	28	15	6	7	41	29	36
Radnicki	28	12	9	7	40	28	33
Napredak	28	12	9	7	35	23	33
Hajduk	28	12	7	9	37	32	31
Partizan	28	10	9	9	30	30	29
Rijeka	28	11	6	11	27	37	28

PORTUGAL

Porto 2 Boavista 0, Guimaraes 0 Sporting 1, Setubal 3 Braga 1, Uniao De Leiria 0 Belenenses 0, Beira Mar 2 Varzim 2, Rio Ave 0 Espinho 2, Benfica 1 Portimonense 0, Estoril 0 Maritimo Do Funchal 0

Sporting	29	23	4	2	84	17	50
Porto	29	22	6	1	59	7	50
Benfica	29	19	6	4	78	19	44
Boavista	29	15	6	8	43	40	36
Belenenses	29	13	8	8	32	38	34

West Germany, unbeaten since the World Cup Finals in Argentina, were booed and jeered off the field after their last home match, even though they beat Poland 3-1.

But they still played badly and team manager Jupp Derwall is a very worried man as he searches for his best possible line-up.

He said: "Due to injuries we still haven't got a goalkeeper, a sweeper or a centre-forward.

"Under the circumstances we have a very thin chance of winning the European Championship — Italy and England are the favourites!"

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SECRETARY: H. Ambrose (02) 516 1688
COACH: W. Wallace
GROUND: Lambert Park Phone 569 6845 (Match days)
Promotion Officer: T. Raciti. Phone 82 0187
Colours: Maroon, Sky Blue

This week's match: v **FOOTSCRAY** at Olympic Park (Melbourne) Sunday 3 pm.

BLACKTOWN CITY S.C.

62 Seven Hills Road North, Seven Hills 2147. Phone 624 3344

SECRETARY: P. R. Thorne (Ph) as above.
COACH: M. Jones
GROUND: Gabbie Stadium, Quinn Ave, Seven Hills
COLOURS: white, red black trim, black, red white trim black red white

This week's match: v **ADELAIDE CITY** at Olympic Sports Field (Adelaide) Sunday 2.30 pm.

NEWCASTLE KB UNITED

4 NORTHWOOD ST., ADAMSTOWN HEIGHTS, N.S.W., 2289

SECRETARY: P. Trisley, Bus. (049) 24930 (049) 26 2433
COACH: A. Vest
GROUND: International Sports Centre, Turton Rd., New Lambton. Ph (049) 52 1224
SPONSOR: **Tooth & Co., Brewers of KB Beer**

NO MATCH THIS WEEK.

BRISBANE CITY

P. O. Box 265 Broadway, Brisbane 4001
Club phone: 356 8834

SECRETARY: G. Canale bus (07) 52 4711.
COACH: N. Saftich.
GROUND: Perry Park, Abbotsford Rd., Mayne.
SPONSOR: **STOCK 84 BRANDY**

This week's match: v **CANBERRA CITY** at Bruce Stadium (Canberra) Sunday 3 pm.

MARCONI—FAIRFIELD

MARCONI ROAD, BOSSLEY PARK, N.S.W. 2176

SECRETARY: M. Urukalo — (02) 604 5095 or 604 5222.
COACH: L. Scheinflug.
GROUND: Marconi Oval, Marconi Rd., Bossley Park.

NO MATCH THIS WEEK.

BRISBANE LIONS

P.O. BOX 310, DARRA QLD 4076

SECRETARY: L Oudendyk
COACH: M. Carson
GROUND: Lions Stadium, Pine Rd, Richlands, 07 (phone) 372 2989
Colours Orange and Blue

NO MATCH THIS WEEK.

SOUTH MELBOURNE

P.O. BOX 64, ST. KILDA WEST, VIC., 3182

GENERAL SECRETARY: J. Karvess 534 5048 & 534 5462 (Restaurant) 534 4141
COACH: John Margaritis
GROUND: Middle Park, Aughtie Drive, Middle Park
COLOURS: Blue & White

NO MATCH THIS WEEK.

CANBERRA CITY

P.O. Box 910, Canberra City 2600

SECRETARY: Max Talbot (W) 48 8917 (A.H.) 88 5078.
COACH: V. Fernandez
GROUND: National Athletic Stadium, Bruce
SPONSOR: BRIAN POLLOCK Ford

This week's match: v **BRISBANE CITY** at Bruce Stadium (Canberra) Sunday 3 pm

ST. GEORGE

84 VICTORIA AVENUE, MORTDALE, N.S.W.

GENERAL MANAGER: L. Bordacs (02) 269 2745.
COACH: R. Blanco
GROUND: St George Stadium, Rockdale
Colours: Red, White & Green

NO MATCH THIS WEEK.

HEIDELBERG UNITED

P.O. BOX 8, COLLINGWOOD, 3066

SECRETARY: A. Loustas 419 2588.
COACHES: J. Rooney & P. Bannon
GROUND: Olympic Park, Swan St., Melb. (03) 42 0642.
COLOURS: Black & Gold
COACHES: J. Rooney & P. Bannon

NO MATCH THIS WEEK.

SYDNEY CITY "THE SLICKERS"

61 HALL ST., BONDI, N.S.W. 2026

SECRETARY: D. Childs (02) 30 3344 A.H. 525 7734
COACH: E. Thomson
GROUND: Sydney Athletic Field
SPONSOR: Presto Smallgoods
Colours: Sky Blue White Hoops, White Shorts, Red Socks

NO MATCH THIS WEEK.

FOOTSCRAY

P.O. BOX 122, ST KILDA SOUTH, 3182

SECRETARY: H. Iser bus (03) 391 3231
COACH: R. Ille
GROUND: Western Oval, Barkly St, Footscray
COLOURS: Blue White Red.

This week's match: v **LEICHHARDT** at Olympic Park (Melbourne) Sunday 3 pm.

WEST ADELAIDE

G.P.O. BOX 1130, ADELAIDE S.A., 5001

SECRETARY: D. A. Carapetis, Bus. (08) 51 6686.
COACH: G. Chaldi
GROUND. Hindmarsh Stadium, Manton St., Hindmarsh.
COLOURS: Blue white stripes — Blue Shorts
SPONSOR Dominion Finance.

NO MATCH THIS WEEK.